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PERSONAL AND SOCIETY NEWS

OF SPECIAL INTEREST TO OUR WOMEN READERS

FASHIONS - FEATURES - HOUSEHOLD HINTS

MATTIE

There will be lunch at this place Saturday night and Sunday by 12:30. Vanhoose.

Mr. and Mrs. Alice Edwards and Miss Bertha Moore motored to Cor delia Saturday afternoon.

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MRS. GRUNDY

ADAMS

School is progressing nicely at this place with Levi Strickland for teacher.

We are having plenty of rain at this place and the roads are well filled with mud.

Dorothy Hays of Louisa spent last week with home folks.

Misses Eva McCown and Pearl Perry visited their cousin, Mrs. Eric Franklin Tuesday.

Ernest Hays made a business trip to Adams Saturday.

Frank Moore of Mattie was calling on home folks Sunday.

Red Moore still makes frequent trips here.

We are sorry to learn of the death of M. H. Sparks. Our sympathy is extended to the bereaved family.

Mrs. Charley Moore and daughter were calling on Mrs. Matt Doolley Friday.

Thomas Ball and Lewis Moore were calling on their best girls Sunday.

Roberta Lee Hays who has returned from the county to finish her high school is spending a few days with home folks before entering school.

Mrs. Martha Frayley spent Sunday with Emma Hays.

Miss Ruby Pigg was visiting Mrs. Moore Adams one night last week.

Roscoe Kniff of Innesville was here Monday.

Lewis and Connie Moore, Eva McCown and Dorothy Hays were visiting school here last Tuesday.

Let us hear from Mrs. Grundy again.

JUST ME

OBITUARY

Elice Curran was born at Paducah, Lawrence county, Ky., Oct. 6, 1852, departed this life Nov. 6, 1922, aged 70 years and one month. She was the daughter of Obadiah Fuller who was a pioneer citizen of Lawrence county and for whom Fuller's Station was named. She was married to Rev. H. M. Curran March 3, 1878, and to this union was born three children, all girls, viz: Nona, Cynthia and Maggie. Nona preceded her mother to the glory land 17 years ago. There were nine grandchildren, three have entered the holy river and six on this side. Bro. Curran, two daughters and six grandchildren are left to mourn the loss of sister Curran. Nona and the three grandchildren, but may their memory ever be to those a guiding star to heaven. Sister Curran was a member of the Methodist church and was converted January, 1881 and lived a consecrated Christian 41 years. She was a model woman, one that should be exemplified, kind to all, no hard words to say about any person.

and was always kind and home and just before she passed into the beyond she asked her friends to have her interred in the Adams R. C. cemetery.

There will be a funeral at 2:30 p.m. at the Adams R. C. church. The Rev. J. D. Ball will officiate. Burial will be in the Adams R. C. cemetery.

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Personal

Robt. Dixon, Jr. was a caller to the Adams R. C. church.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wright and son spent Thanksgiving in Adams.

Mrs. S. J. Justo, a friend of the Adams R. C. church, was in town recently.

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JUST FOLKS.

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HULETTE

There will be church at this place the first Saturday night, Sunday and Monday night in December.

Alva Harmon, a friend of the Adams R. C. church, was in town recently.

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Jay Moore was a visitor at our school Friday afternoon.

Dona Doe and Alva Harmon are contemplating a trip to Westport.

Mary Lee Hanks who has been visiting with her aunt, Mrs. Ed Moore, spent Friday night with home folks.

Miss Paul Frasier was the Sunday school teacher at the Adams R. C. church.

Everybody remember church.

TWO SCHOOL GIRLS.

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CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to thank all our friends for the many ways in which they have helped us during our illness and death of our dear son, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. P. H. were the dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Moore and family.

MRS. GRUNDY

Quality Service

DRY CLEANING DYEING ALTERING

Farmer's

511 SIXTH AVENUE HUNTINGTON, W. VA.

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This Is Christmas Shopping Month Select It Early---That Is The Only Way To Give The Thoughtful Gift

The Christmas Gift is really a special messenger sent on Christmas Day to say, "This is what I think of you," and only the gift selected unhurriedly, with the greatest thought for appropriateness, for its fineness is worthy to carry such a message.

Even one day's delay often means that just the right thing is gone, selections are less complete, shopping is more difficult.

Time flies--start your Christmas Shopping now. First let us suggest that you order your Engraved Personal Christmas Cards early to insure Christmas deliveries.

Christmas Greeting Cards mean so much more when you have your name engraved below the message. The card is marked with your individuality. A wide variety of styles are shown for you to choose from.

A RUG FOR A CHRISTMAS PRESENT

Our beautiful and low priced rugs are the perfect gift for your home. They are the perfect gift for your home. They are the perfect gift for your home.

DAINTY PHILIPPINE GOWNS

Our beautiful and low priced gowns are the perfect gift for your home. They are the perfect gift for your home. They are the perfect gift for your home.

SILVERWEAR

Our beautiful and low priced silverware are the perfect gift for your home. They are the perfect gift for your home. They are the perfect gift for your home.

YOU CAN BEAUTIFULLY ENCASE YOUR PILLOW CASES

Our beautiful and low priced pillow cases are the perfect gift for your home. They are the perfect gift for your home. They are the perfect gift for your home.

HANDKERCHIEFS--THEY ARE ALWAYS WELCOME

Our beautiful and low priced handkerchiefs are the perfect gift for your home. They are the perfect gift for your home. They are the perfect gift for your home.

GARDEN Theatre

TWO DAYS - MONDAY - TUESDAY DEC. 11-12

William Fox presents

Queen of Sheba

The love romance of the most beautiful woman the world has ever known.

J. Gordon Edwards production.

Story by Virginia Tracy

Red Cross Water First Aid Makes Life-Saving Gain

More than 325 chapters are organized in the United States. The work of the Red Cross in the United States is now emerging out of the work in the United States.

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BUY CHRISTMAS BOXED CANDIES HERE AND KNOW THAT THEY ARE FRESH. VOGEL'S PURE CANDIES, HAND-ROLLED CHOCOLATES MADE RIGHT HERE IN HUNTINGTON, IN ATTRACTIVE BOXES OF 12-16 TO 48-72 SIZE. RICH CHOCOLATE COVERING CENTERS OF LUSCIOUS CREAMS OF MANY FLAVORS, NUTS AND CANDIED FRUITS.

Candy Booth, main aisle, first floor.

A BIG SUPER SPECIAL IN TEN REELS YOU CAN'T AFFORD TO MISS IT Admission: Adults 50c, Children 25c (Including Tax)



## SHOP EARLY

## WATCHES

LADIES & GENTS WATCHES  
WHITE GOLD WATCHES  
GREEN GOLD WATCHES  
YELLOW GOLD WATCHES  
ANY SHAPE WATCH YOU WANT  
LARGE ASSORTMENT TO SELECT FROM



## SHOP EARLY

## DIAMONDS

We Have A Big Line Of  
DIAMOND RINGS  
DIAMOND BAR PINS & BROOCHES  
DIAMOND LAVALIERES  
DIAMOND CUFF LINKS  
DIAMOND SCARF PINS

## Xmas Gifts That Last

## Jewelry Suggestions

GIFTS THAT LAST



Rings  
Watches  
Brooches  
Lavalliers  
Fancy Colored Beads  
Pearl Beads  
Ear-Rings  
Fountain Pens  
Gold Knives  
Pearl Knives  
Silver Belt Buckles  
Gold Belt Buckles  
Watch Bracelets  
Shirt-waist Pins  
Emblem Pins  
Watch Charms  
Watch Chains  
Gold Combs  
Cigarette Cases  
Vanity Silver Cases  
Powder Compacts  
Silver Thimbles  
Cuff Buttons  
Collar Buttons  
Gold Pencils  
Silver Pencils  
Baby Locketts  
Cigarette Holders  
Cigar Holders  
Mens Umbrellas  
Ladies Umbrellas



Mesh Bags  
Locketts  
Bracelets  
Bar Pins  
Scarf Pins  
Collar Pins  
Baby Pins  
Bib Holder  
Silver Sets  
Etc. Etc.

You will find our Christmas Offerings are in harmony with your Christmas Needs. Our prices in Harmony with your Pocketbook. From inexpensive articles to more costly gifts, we offer for your selection the newest and best of the season. Let us show you high-grade, strictly modern, fair-priced holiday attractions. All are invited. A hearty welcome no matter whether you come to see or to buy.

## CHRISTMAS CARDS

Christmas Cards  
Christmas Folders  
Christmas Seals  
Christmas Tree Decorations  
Christmas Holly  
Christmas Tags  
Artificial Flowers

FINE STATIONERY, From 50c to \$20.00 Box

All Colors, Shapes and Kinds

CORRESPONDING CARDS



## CHRISTMAS DECORATIONS

Christmas Bells  
Christmas Snow  
Christmas Crepe Paper  
Christmas Wrapping Paper  
Christmas Boxes  
Holly Wreaths  
Christmas Wrapping Twine

## We Carry A Full Line of All the Advertised Brands of

PERFUMES, TOILET WATERS, FACE POWDERS, FACE CREAMS & LOTIONS  
TOOTH PASTE, SHAVING CREAMS, HAIR TONICS, ROUGE, LIP-STICKS,  
MANICURE SETS, MUM, in fact, anything in toilet goods at a CUT RATE PRICE

## CUT GLASS

We carry a full line of CUT GLASS. Anything you want in it.

## SILVER DINNER WARE

We carry a full stock of all the best brands of SILVER — 1817, Community, and World Brand Wm. Rogers.

Knives & Fork Sets, Spoons, Butter Knives, Sugar Shells, Cold Meat Forks, Ice Tea Spoons, Jelly Spoons, Cream Ladles, Pie Knives, Ice Cream Forks, Butter Spreaders, Carving Sets, Bread Knives, Berry Spoons, and many other pieces.

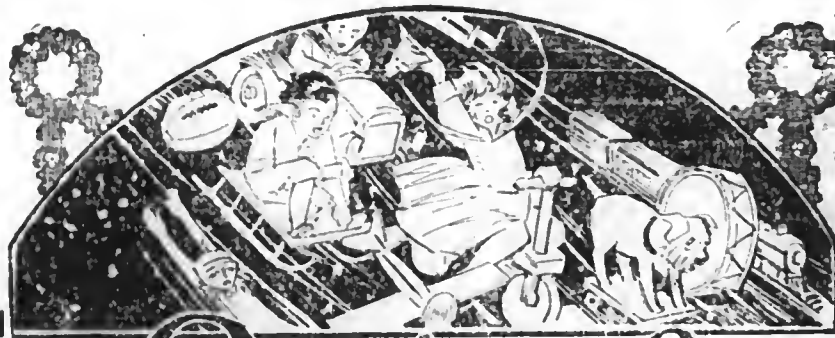
## LEATHER GOODS

Our Leather Goods Department is complete. Anything in Leather we have it.

## SILVER HOLLOW WARE

Silver Candle Sticks, Silver Baskets, Silver Sandwich Plates, Bread Trays, Cream and Sugar Sets, Salt and Pepper Sets, Fancy Fruit Bowls, Jelly Dishes, Bake Dishes, Pie Dishes, Meat Platters, Pickle Dishes, Trays, Vases, Smoking Sets, in fact anything you want in silver.

From now until Christmas this store will be open every evening. Shop now and avoid the rush.



## Opening of TOYLAND

There will be shouts and cries of joy sounding thru the town, when the children get a peek at our new toyland. There are heaps and heaps of toys. Everybody in Toyland is here. Here are just a few:

Teddy Bears	Fire Engines	Horns	Story Books	Games	Painting Sets
Dolls	Wagons	Tin Soldiers	Toy Blocks	Balls	Jack Knives
Electric Trains	Kiddie Cars	Toy Houses	Sail Boats	Air Rifles	Mechanical Toys
Steam Engines	Drums	Aeroplanes	Stuffed Monkeys	Building Sets	& Many Others

We take the liberty of making a suggestion regarding the best time to do your Christmas shopping, and earnestly urge you to do it AT ONCE. There is much to lose and nothing to gain by waiting. Come early while the pick is the choicest. Avoid the crowd and make your selection at leisure and in comfort, from a full and complete assortment. We know that a visit will convince you that we offer more and better inducements in Quality, Variety and Reasonable Prices than you can find elsewhere. We extend a cordial invitation to all to come in and see our brilliant array of Holiday Goods without feeling that the slightest obligation to purchase is incurred.

## Jewelry Suggestions

GIFTS THAT LAST



Safety Razors  
Shaving Sets  
Manicure Sets  
Gents Hat Brushes  
Military Brushes  
Clothes Brushes  
Smoking Sets  
Collar Boxes  
Shaving Brushes  
Fancy Candies  
Mens Traveling Sets  
Box Stationery  
Pocket Books  
White Ivory Combs  
Ivory Hair Brushes  
Ivory Mirror  
Ivory Powder Boxes  
Ivory Hair Receivers  
Ivory Pin Trays  
Ivory Vases  
Perfume Bottles  
Ivory Pin Cushions  
Vacuum Cleaners  
Stag Carving Sets  
China Tea Sets  
China Dinner Sets  
China Chocolate Sets  
China Vases  
Mahogany Trays  
Candle Sticks  
Glass Candle Sticks  
Colored Fruit Bowls  
Serving Trays  
Clocks  
Pictures  
Books  
Bibles  
Kodaks  
Cameras  
Knives  
Card Cases  
Bill Folds  
Pipes, Etc.



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DONE FREE

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Watchmakers and Jewelers  
BETWEEN THE TWO BANKS

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With a good high school building Louisa can take a long step forward in the cause of education. There is a distinctive demand here for such a school as could be maintained if we had the kind of plant that is so necessary to properly handle this work. A modern building is first of all well lighted, thoroughly ventilated and properly heated. To save the eyes and health of the children has come to be recognized as of prime importance. Attention to physical development through athletics also has become a part of the work in schools, colleges and universities. Louisa has gone along for many years with a tax rate of only 25¢ for school purposes. For some time a deficit has been accumulating from year to year, until the issue could no longer be dodged. The city has outgrown all such standards and costs as formerly prevailed. There is no economy in dragging behind in educational matters. No greater injuries can be done to children than to withhold educational advantages for the sake of saving a few dollars in taxes. It is the most expensive course that can be pursued. Come on. Let's do our duty by the children.

**The Ford Coal Deal.**  
The Courier-Journal says:—If Henry Ford should buy 190,000 acres of good Kentucky coal land at \$20,000, 000 he would get his coal cheaply. He would pay a little above \$100 an acre. Any one "groundhogging" an acre of coal land nowadays soon would dig out more than \$100 worth, and the "groundhog" miner can do hardly more than to scratch the surface of deposits.

Much cheap coal has been bought from original holders of land in Kentucky. A good deal was acquired not a great while ago by lumber men who bought timber, the land thrown in. If Henry Ford should buy 190,000 acres of coal, the timber or cut-over lands would be thrown in, inasmuch as the sale of the coal-bearing lands would be upon a basis of the value of the coal. He could protect the second-growth timber on his holdings and create a vast estate in timber. The mountain lands require nothing more than protection from fire to reforest themselves where denudation is not complete.

If the bulk of the Ford coal, in the event of the purchase, should go out of the State, to be used elsewhere as fuel or for other purposes, out of the State with it could go the possibility

of Kentucky payrolls and Kentucky population which Kentucky needs.

This State, with approximately the area and resources of Pennsylvania, has a little above 2,000,000 population, low assessed values and small revenues, reflected in the unimproved condition of the State. Pennsylvania's population is about 7,000,000. Pennsylvania is a rich State.

Kentucky will not become a rich State by selling the raw products of farms and the raw products of mines, inasmuch as raw products are sold population and payrolls will be kept down.

Tapping Kentucky coal lands with a railroad to haul the coal out of the State is a perfectly legitimate project. So is selling coal lands to be tapped and the coal delivered out of the State. But where the coal is burned the industry is conducted and the payroll is kept.

Tapping Kentucky coal lands is not development of Kentucky's riches to develop other States; tapping Kentucky's wilderness to build cities outside of Kentucky.

If Henry Ford should acquire 190,000 acres of Kentucky coal land and use the coal in Kentucky, as fuel in the raw state or otherwise, the State would experience increased welfare.

**STATE BOARD OF HEALTH.**  
Louisville, Ky., Nov. 27.—Work of the State Board of Health under the provisions of the Sheppard-Towner Act in striving to improve the conditions under which children in Kentucky grow up, was endorsed by the Kentucky Conference of Social Work, made up of welfare and social service workers from all over the State, at the final session of its four-day annual meeting here last week.

The resolution carrying a recommendation that the next General Assembly appropriate funds to extend the work to every county in the State.

Dr. A. T. McCormack, State Health Officer, was re-elected president of the conference, and it was decided to hold its next annual conference next year here. Other officers elected were: Vice-presidents, Dr. William H. Hatcher, of Berea, Mrs. J. P. Arbogast of Louisville, Mrs. Emil Tachan of Louisville, Mrs. E. L. Hitt of Lexington, Miss May Stone of Frankfort, Mrs. W. J. Hills of Paducah and R. C. Humphreys of Covington; secretary, Miss Lily Warren of Louisville, and treasurer, David C. Ligeant of Louisville.

**THREE BUTLER COUNTY SONS ARE IN CONGRESS**

Morgantown.—Butler county, Kentucky, will hold a unique position in the next Congress, for it was the boyhood home of three men who will sit in that body. As schoolboys, Senator John W. Harrell, of Oklahoma, and Congressman-elect Maurice H. Thatcher, of the Louisville district, lived within a hundred yards of each other, while Congressman-elect Everett R. Howard, of the first Oklahoma district, lived less than three miles away at Morgantown, the county seat. Howard and Harrell are cousins, and lived at each other's homes in childhood until they seemed like brothers. Thatcher was an intimate friend and the three were inseparable.

## JUST A LITTLE FUN

"I lost a lot of money once."  
"How come?"  
"I proposed to a wealthy girl and she refused."

Mother—Don't ask so many questions, Katie. Don't you know that curiosity once killed a cat?  
Katie—What did the cat want to know, mother?

Getting By.  
Wife—Henry, do you realize that you have forgotten that this is my birthday?

Husband—Yes, dearie, I did forget it, and it's quite natural that I should. There really isn't anything about you to remind me that you are a day old other than you were a year ago.

The Musician.  
"I don't know why it is, but I'm breaking into song."  
"If you'd ever get the key, you wouldn't have to break in."

The tramp rang the doctor's bell and asked the pretty young woman who opened the door if she would be so kind as to ask the doctor if he had a pair of old trousers he would kindly give away.  
"I'm the doctor," said the smiling young woman, and the tramp all but fainted.

Would Never Kick.  
Minister (talking with landlady).—And what do you think of the character of St. Paul?  
Landlady. Ah, he was a good soul. Do you remember how he once said we should eat what's set before us and ask no questions for conscience's sake? I've often thought I'd have liked him for a boarder.

NOTICE.  
Pritchard Memorial Sunday school will observe "World's Temperance Day" December 10 at Sunday school hour. Come, one and all, and help us with a soul-stirring message that will awaken our people.

S. S. WORKER

**HOMEY PHILOSOPHY for 1922**  
THEY tell about Jake going into the barn to light his lantern so he could go courtin'. The farmer next door kidded him: "I never used a lantern when I went courtin'." said the farmer, and Jake said: "No, of course not; an' look what you got." There's lots of Jakes out there days with their lanterns, when they ought to be out with their X-rays. What's the use of looking at when you can look in. Lantern marriages mean pretty faces and heads with no adornment but the hair. The only advantage of courtin' with a lantern is that you can blow it out, an' then—ah, happiness doesn't come from object to eye, but faith an' lasting love come from soul to soul, an' you don't need any lantern to see that.

Phaw.  
A cook stove was the prize they gave for shooting. This is strange. Although he tried all afternoon, he couldn't get the range.

Sorry She Spoke.  
The man from New England just arrived in a Western city, went into a small office and asked if he could write direct from there, and how long it would take.

The girl assistant cut him short with: "I am not here to answer silly questions." She looked foolish, however, when she found herself compelled to write the following:

"Arrived safe. Girls here ugly and bad-tempered."

Exceeding the Limit. "Maud tells everything she knows."  
"Yes, it wouldn't be so bad if she would stop there."—Judge.

All in a Lifetime. Old Lady: "Did you ever do a single day's work in your life?"  
Old Hobo: "Jest about, biddy."

The American Legion Weekly.

Exercise Assured.—Doctor Friend.

"Now, that you have a car, you mustn't neglect exercise."  
Patient—"Oh, I shan't be able to; it's a second-hand car."—London Opinion.

Single Holiness.—"Tim—"How are you getting along at home while your wife's away?"  
Tim—"Fine. I've reached the height of efficiency. I can put on my socks now from either end."—American Mutual Magazine.

A Detail Overlooked.—A pressure of 15 pounds on this wire bumper throws out the clutch, applies the brakes, cuts off the ignition and blows the horn.—From the Scientific American. It seems to do about everything except take charge of the body. Detroit Motor News.

Friends Again.—An inquisitive old lady was always asking her minister questions. One day the persistent lady asked, "Mr. . . . can you please tell me the difference between Cherubim and Seraphim?" The minister thought deeply for a minute or two and then quickly replied, "Well, they had a difference, indeed, but they have made it up."—The Christian Advocate (New York).

The Right Answer. A man who believed he knew all about parrots and duck-geese to teach what he thought to be a young, naive bird to say "Hello!" in one lesson, came up to the cage, he repeated that word in a clear voice for several minutes, the parrot pecking at the slightly-stirred attention. At the final "Hello!" the bird opened one eye, gazed at the man, and snarled out, "Line's busy." The congregationalist (Boston).

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## Presenting Our Pre-Holiday Sale of Apparel Friday &amp; Saturday

—a two day's selling devoted to garments of the highest type exclusively. The best of our Coats, Dresses and Millinery are enlisted in these new specially priced groups. There is breadth of choice —unequivocal quality—unmistakeably low prices.

## Coats

—fashioned from the richest of fabrics and lavishly trimmed with select furs.  
\$95.00 to \$195.00

## Suits

—plain tailored models in a fine variety of effects. Priced at \$49.50.

## Dresses

Choose from our entire collection of silk models. \$39.75 to \$89.

## Millinery

The Exclusive "Model Hats" together with ALL of the better styles to choose from now at \$15, \$20.50 and \$25.00.

## The Anderson-Newcomb Co.

On Third Avenue Huntington, W. Va.

## Richard Lloyd Jones tells Us To Speed Up Safety.

EVER since the advent of the steam engine we have been spending our best while that speed has come with inestimable help, it has not come without its measure of attendant harm. When the Legislature of New York was first asked to grant a franchise for eighteen miles of steam railroad, the right to build this first rail road was not granted without a bitter opposition, who contended that it would be unsafe because the engine would scare so many horses that an unwarmed trail of death would result.

The railroad came and those who opposed it were right in their death toll predictions. The engine did scare the horses. There were runaway, and what is worse, there were wrecks on the roads and an ever-increasing list of accidents have been recorded as the iron rolled mile after mile.

But for all this we would not cease the railroads. For our map, we would not go back to the days when even a king would cry "My kingdom for a horse."

The thrashing machine has cost many a thrasher an arm. But we would not go back to the days when we played grain on the floor.

At all machinery and busily farmers take their lives in their hands. But we cannot do without them. We besky-hug and all too often we read of a fallen flyer. It is the price we pay to learn how with safety to use the safer way.

The auto brings its price in limb and life. We pay it and speed away. We have been impatiently seeking speed. With the same impatience we must seek safety. The cost of speed has reached such alarming proportions that the "Safety First" slogan was born.

Observe, we did not cry "Cut it out" nor did we

even plead to "Slow down." We do not want to slow down, much less to stop. On the contrary, we want to speed up. That is progress. But we must speed up safety.

The National Safety Council reports that the compiled list of preventable accidents in 1920 show a death toll of 14,845 persons, people as live in the State of Nevada. In other words, in one year we wiped out by accident one whole State. That means that it is true to STOP a machine. It is not speed we should stop. We must stop recklessness.

The maniac thrashing machine has gone out of fashion. But the tool at the auto wheel is busy. Ladies from rockers auto driving average thirty deaths a day. We have speed laws, but they are blatantly disobeyed and the violators when arrested are too often dismissed with a modified reprimand or a petty fine.

To endanger the life of another is not a light or laughing matter.

We must adjust ourselves to the auto as the horse did to the team. We make the team run on schedule, limit its speed on curves, slow down at the sign of caution and come to a full stop at the STOP sign. So must we make every auto driver do.

There is but one way to do it, and that is for every community to impose drastic penalty for every offender and for every community to promptly get rid of any officer that fails to arrest the offenders and every judge and magistrate that will not impose the full penalty of the crime.

It is a crime to take life, it is a crime to endanger life. Speed up safety. It is the duty of every town and county government to get indignantly busy on this all important job. We cannot spare our people in whole state full lots.

## Christmas Shopping in Huntington Means Better Selection

Why risk delays and possible disappointment by sending to some distant city for your gifts and run the risk of not receiving just what you expected, when Huntington is so near you that you can make the trip quickly and make personal selections from the ample and varied Holiday stocks carried by our large and progressive stores. There is a decided advantage in seeing the merchandise, making selections, and noting the wide variety offered.

It is perfectly right and proper to patronize your own local merchant if he has what you want. He helps support your local community; but if you must send elsewhere for your purchases why not have the satisfaction of making the selections in person in Huntington; or if you cannot come order by mail and the distance is so short that if the selection does not suit exactly you have time to exchange it without delay or inconvenience.

Huntington stores are noted for the variety of their merchandise and the values and prices at which reasonable merchandise is sold. Every line is represented and in inviting you to come to Huntington this year to do your shopping we do so knowing that no city large or small will offer you more complete satisfaction than will be found in Huntington.

Hotel reservations will be arranged for you by our organization if notified in time.

No Better Market  
Can Be Found  
In This Territory

Huntington Business Men's Association  
Chamber of Commerce Building

## ENGRAVED CARDS For HOLIDAYS

Place your order with us now to insure prompt delivery  
Elegant line of samples. Come in and look them over





BIG SANDY NEWS

Friday, December 1, 1922.

Local Happenings

If your back aches take a few doses of 7 Pins.

Moore & Burton have just received a carload of oak flooring.

George Atkins is able to be out after an illness of a week or more.

One Old of Seven Pins for sore throat and weak lung.

Miss Loretta Robinson of Columbia has entered school in Louisa.

Old of 7 Pins has cured old fever since of years standing.

Mrs. Lattie Wellman has been quite sick at her home on Rock Avenue.

G. R. Roberts has been very ill at his home near Louisa the past few weeks.

Born, Dec. 5 to Mr. and Mrs. Ed L. Wellman, an eight pound boy, John Edward.

Mrs. C. E. Baker of the village from Charleston where she has been to have her teeth removed.

Leo Carter has taken a trip with the Union Saint & General Company of Huntington, W. Va.

Emmanuel Sater of the village time to break in and a few days when he fell from his horse.

Just received a new stock of Vaseline, sweet oil, and other household necessities. Non-union, no union agent.

Junior Lacks, who has been five months with the Union Saint & General Commercial Travel Company of Pikeville on Thursday of the week.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank the friends and neighbors for the sympathy and help during the death of our dear father, E. L. Carter, who died at his home in Louisa, Kentucky, December 1, 1922. The funeral was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Berry, and all that helped in the service. Mrs. W. H. Berry, who was the mother of the deceased, is now residing in Louisa, Kentucky.

Notice to Holders of Lawrence Co. Warrants

All holders of warrants of the county of Lawrence, Kentucky, are hereby notified that the same will be returned to the court at the county seat of Lawrence, Kentucky, on the 15th day of December, 1922. Failure to appear at the time specified may result in the warrants being returned to the court as delinquent.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the estate of the late W. H. Berry, deceased, is being administered by the undersigned, who is the executor of the last will and testament of the deceased. All claims against the estate must be presented to the undersigned on or before the 15th day of December, 1922. All claims for the estate must be presented to the undersigned on or before the 15th day of December, 1922.

Christmas Candy

Choice Gift Boxes, All Sizes.

We solicit your orders for holiday dinners. We will have fruits, nuts, oysters, cranberries, and everything good to eat.

W. H. Berry THE GROCER

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Louisa - Kentucky

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GROCERIES AND MEATS

We endeavor to serve Louisa and vicinity in the best possible way with what the people want to eat. Fresh meats are supplied all the year. We do not drop out in hot weather.

OUR TELEPHONE No. 15 49  
LAMBERT & QUEEN  
LOUISA - KENTUCKY

CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

"The Church of Friendship."

Sunday school attendance picked up some Sunday. We were glad to see some with us that have been away a long time. Keep it up fellows.

Mr. Seck's class was organized last Sunday and they have taken this as their name, "Spizzerinkum." It is in our dictionary. Mr. Campbell is the wholehearted president. Young men and young ladies come and join this class. Other classes are organizing and we hope to see the best of the Sunday school in the state. Well if you did not get in Sunday night at the preaching house try it again next Sunday night. Better come early. There were 75 present at our Senior B. Y. P. U. meeting, that is going fine for officers. We are going to have a social at the home of Miss Edith Norton Friday night, December 15. This will be backward party.

Sunday school 9:30. Nov. 28, Spizzerinkum.

Praying 10:30 and 7 p.m.

St. B. Y. P. U. 8 p.m.

Ladies Aid every Wednesday two p.m.

W. M. S. first and third Thursdays each month.

Prayer meeting every Wednesday night 8:30.

Boy Scouts every Monday night 8 p.m.

G. A. S. every Thursday night 8 p.m.

Girls 12-15.

Y. H. S. is coming to our church. But if you come to get some class roll you might fall for a present. So come to Sunday school next Sunday.

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Florence Badger, Julia Jane Burgess

HIGH SCHOOL NOTES

Miss Robinson was in Huntington the latter part of the week.

We were very glad to have the Rev. Brann conduct the chapel exercises for us on Monday. He made a very interesting talk on the value of a high school education.

Last Tuesday the girls' basketball team selected Gladys Hawes as their captain.

Today the first string basketball team, headed by Peter Queen as their captain.

Tuesday Coach Peterson appointed Burton Queen and John Cummings captains of the second and third teams respectively.

The second team is made up of Captain Queen, Ladd, Mays, Wilson, Woods, Rollins, Vaughan and Hays.

The third team consists of Captain Cummings, Sargent, Norton, Cheek, Burgess, Grubbs, Kiser, Phillips, Skyles, Kimer and McQuinn.

Captain Hawes, Cheek, Wilson, Norton, Kiser, Adams, Walters and Kimer accompanied by Mrs. Burdett will leave Friday morning for Fayetteville where they will play their first night. They will return the following morning.

Captain Queen, Phillips, G. Parmer, J. Sore, Wray, Vaughan, Rollins, Mays, will continue with Coach Peterson Friday morning for Fayetteville where they will play their first night. They will return the following morning.

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Do Your Christmas Shopping Early at

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The Store Ahead

Louisa, Kentucky



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LOWER LICK CREEK

Sunday school is progressing nicely at this place.

Robert Thompson who has been working at Columbus, Ohio, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lattie Thompson, Mrs. Clyde Carter and little daughter moved to Blaine Sunday.

Miss Hattie Thompson was visiting her sister at Little Blaine Sunday.

Mrs. Fannie Johnson and sons of Maysville who have been spending a few days with her parents at this place have returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lattie Thompson were calling on Mrs. Emma Blackburn Sunday.

Miss Mable Thompson was the weekend guest of her sister, Miss Hattie Thompson of this place.

Mrs. Della Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Carter and Mrs. Forrest Johnson attended church at Smoky Valley Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hale are visiting their father at this place, Mr. Ash.

The party given by Mr. and Mrs. Morda Wilson Saturday night in honor of her brother was large, is attended and all reported a nice time.

Church at this place every third Saturday and Sunday. Everybody comes.

BROWN EYES.

FITCH

Rev. Jim Rayburn will preach at Walnut Grove the second Sunday in December.

Mrs. Rosa Planck of Triplet spent Saturday night with Misses May and Dessie Planck.

There was a large crowd attended the funeral of Mrs. Rosa Planck Saturday, December 2.

Harve and Angie Planck were visiting Charley Chiles Sunday.

MERRY CHRISTMAS.

J. M. Cooksey who has been living at Fitch, Carter county, has moved to Grayson. He formerly lived in Lawrence county.

John Fults and Miss Dona Evans of

Soldier surprised their many friends by getting married Sunday. We wish them a long and happy life.

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A home hotel—comfortable, large, airy rooms. Clean and economical. A safe place for your wife or daughter.  
CINCINNATI, O.

THE GOODS ARE GOING

The work of closing out our stock has been going along well, but we still have a lot of extra good bargains and the sale will continue until everything is closed out.

Ellis Motook and his wife and Jack's wife will leave for Detroit before the first of the year, but Jack will stay with the store in Louisa until the goods are all sold. So come in and get some bargains before it is too late.

We have a fine, new stock of LADIES SUITS, CHILDREN'S CLOTHING, READY-TO-WEAR GOODS, NOTIONS, DRY GOODS, ETC.

NOW IS YOUR CHANCE TO BUY GOODS CHEAP

ELLIS & JACK

Brunswick Hotel Storeroom  
LOUISA - KENTUCKY  
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CHRISTMAS GIFTS  
In all departments of our store will be found articles suitable for gifts. For everybody, from the youngest to the oldest person, there are items at all prices.  
Choice Neckwear, Gloves, Bondair Caps, Pockethooks, Bags, Hosiery of all grades, Beautiful Handkerchiefs, House Slippers for women, Stationery, Etc.  
Ladies Waists in beautiful and varied kinds. Silk Petticoats, "Fitrite," in the elegant new kind of silk, from \$2.19 up. Don't fail to see these. Also, Silk Jersey Skirts, Kimonos, Bath Robes, Sweaters, Etc.  
Scarfs, Shawls, Middle Blouses, complete line of Bloomers, Children's Wool Dresses and Sweaters.  
Nice Towels, Pillow Cases, Dresser Scarfs, Fine Blankets, Dishes, Trays, Etc, Talking Machines.  
TOYS  
Toys of almost every description. Dolls of all sizes and qualities. Best line of doll beds and other toy furniture ever shown here.  
Closing Out Ladies' Hats  
CUT PRICES ON COATS, SUITS AND DRESSES  
Largest Line of Shoes. We are now carrying combination lasts and can fit people who have not heretofore been able to be fitted in Louisa.  
JUSTICE'S STORE  
Near C. & O. Station : : : Louisa, Ky.



## UP AND DOWN BIG SANDY VALLEY

## PIKEVILLE

Mont V. McCoy of Zebulon, Dies Very Suddenly.

Mont V. McCoy of Zebulon, died suddenly while seated at the supper table at his home Tuesday evening. Mr. McCoy had been in Pikeville the day before, visiting his son-in-law, Perrell Johnson, who is in jail here suffering from wounds received in Saturday's tragedy in which he shot and killed James Charles near McCoy's home. Tuesday Mr. McCoy complained of being indisposed but attended to business through the day and but a short time before his death had milked and done the evening's chores.

The deceased was the son of John Riley McCoy. He was a man of fine physique and weighed more than 200 pounds. He was generally recognized as one of the county's very best citizens. His business career began as a teacher, but he later quit teaching to enter the mercantile field in which he showed honesty and persistence were rewarded with reasonable success.

He was a member of the Masonic Fraternity, having been for years a faithful member of Thos. C. Cecil Lodge No. 375, P. & A. M., Pikeville.

The funeral was held at the home on the afternoon of Thanksgiving day and the Masonic order assisted in the funeral rites. Interment in the family cemetery.

The deceased is survived by his wife and one son, Seth McCoy, and a daughter, Mrs. Forrell Johnson.

**New Hotel Here.**  
W. H. Campbell has been awarded the contract for the construction of the new hotel on the corner of Caroline and Main streets, and the work will be pushed to completion.

It is understood that the erection of the building will probably go to a Lexington construction company at a cost of approximately \$100,000.

The property on which this hotel will be built is a part of the W. J. Kell lot on Main street and is on line with the proposed new C. & O. depot and the main business section of Pikeville. The site is a desirable one as it occupies the corner of two of the city's widest and most beautiful streets.

Contractor Campbell is playing a prominent part in the development of Pikeville. He was prominently connected with laying the sub-structure for the Hughes-Judith buildings and is at present excavating for the new Williams buildings, as well as laying out the streets.

**Mr. Isaac Porter Dies.**  
Isaac N. Porter of Boldman died at his home Nov. 23, at 3 p. m., age 65 years, 9 months and 3 days.

Funeral services were held at the home Sunday, November 26, at ten o'clock. Interment in the Porter cemetery.

Mr. Porter had been in declining health for the past two years. He was one of the most highly esteemed men of Pike county. Mr. Porter was a school teacher for several years. After he went into the mercantile business at Boldman. He was widely known through the Big Sandy country.

Mr. Porter is survived by his widow, Mrs. I. N. Porter, of Boldman; three sons, B. N. Porter of Boldman; L. N. Porter of Emma, and J. F. Porter of Minford, O.; two daughters, Mrs. Mattie Caldwell and Mrs. Katie Steele, of Boldman. He also leaves two half brothers, Mr. Jeff Haynes of Mossy Bottom and Mr. Clall Haynes of Sugar, Idaho.

**Fire At Kewanee.**  
At 10 p. m. Sunday night, the residence of Ed Thornbury at Kewanee was destroyed by fire. The cause of the fire has not been learned as Mr. Thornbury and wife awoke to find the room in which they were sleeping in flames, and barely made their escape from the building without any loss of household goods. The loss is partly covered by insurance.

Mr. Thornbury is store manager for the Kewanee Coal Mining Company.

**Read Fund in Banks.**  
H. Pauley, Treasurer of Pike county, deposited Saturday, two hundred and thirty-seven dollars and twenty-two cents, the proceeds from the sale of the first installment (\$200,000) of the \$750,000 of Pike county road bonds. These bonds were sold to C. W. McNear and company of Chicago.

The treasurer deposited this sum equally in each of Pikeville's National Banks where it will be held in readiness for road and bridge projects.

Among the most important work now under construction is the bridge on the Mayo trail at Pikeville, a bridge at the forks and the grade of the Pikeville-Williamson highway.

**Local and Personal.**  
Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Cull and at-

tractive little daughter, Elizabeth Mae, and Miss Ruth Greer left Sunday for a ten days' visit in the east. While away they will attend the wedding of Lieut. Raymond Greer and Miss Elizabeth Brooks at Scranton, Pa., on Thanksgiving afternoon.

Mr. James Hatcher and J. R. Polley of Big Shoal left Saturday for Palm Beach, Fla., where they will spend the winter.

Dr. Osborn attended the funeral of Mrs. Alice Roberson Brooks at Huntington Monday.

Mrs. Geo. Pinson and son of Elk Horn City, attended the funeral at Huntington Monday of Mrs. Alice Roberson Brooks who died following an operation at Peoria, Ill., last Friday.

Mrs. Brooks was the daughter of Judge Neil Mrs. J. M. Roberson of Louisville, O., but formerly lived here.

Miss Bessie Riddle and Miss Gertrude Anzler, two of Pikeville's attractive young ladies, spent Sunday with Mrs. James Layne and daughters at Paintsville.

Miss Della Whiters of Paintsville and Miss Geneva Greel at Louisa were in Pikeville for dinner Wednesday at the Hotel Jefferson.—News.

## PAINTSVILLE

**Plan Revival at Paintsville Church.**

Arrangements have been perfected for the big revival to start at the Mayo Memorial church on January 7. This church did not have a revival last year and for a time has been looking for an evangelist to conduct a big meeting.

Evangelist Harry S. Allen, of Macon, Ga., has been secured to start the meeting. He comes here well recommended as an experienced man who gets good results. He will have his own singer and the music will be a feature of the meeting.

**Wards Return.**  
Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Ward have returned to Paintsville from a short honeymoon trip to Lexington, Hitchcock and other points. They are at home to their many friends on Second street, Paintsville.

**Vaughan-Pace.**  
Miss Sallie Vaughan, attractive young daughter of Judge W. H. Vaughan of Paintsville, and Clifford Pace of Salyersville, were united in marriage by Rev. Mr. Edward J. Rees, recently.

Mr. Pace is one of Paintsville's most popular and attractive young men. She was graduated from the Paintsville high school last spring.

Mr. Pace is teacher in the high school here. This is his second year as teacher in this school and his success has been manifested by the splendid class of work he does.

Mr. Pace was graduated from the Magoffin school at Bowling Green. Mr. Pace is 22 years old, while Mrs. Pace is 19. Both are actively engaged in church work. They left for a wedding trip.

## LOWMANVILLE

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Joe Allen, a girl.

Misses Hazel Chandler, Grace Allen, Grace Hannah and Gladys Hatfield took dinner with Misses Ella and Magdalene Young Sunday.

Listen for the wedding bells. Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Chandler have returned from Ashland where they have been visiting relatives.

Miss Gladys Hatfield was the Saturday afternoon guest of Misses Grace Allen and Hazel Chandler.

Russell Chandler went to Paintsville Saturday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Burton of Ulysses visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Young at this place Saturday and Sunday.

Chas. Allen, Miss Geneva Chaffin and Mr. and Mrs. Verne Allen of Catlettsburg were visiting relatives here Sunday.

Several of the girls of Log Lick attended church here Sunday.

Mrs. Arbie Young of Patrick visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Young Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Hannah and Mr. and Mrs. Bord Deborb took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hatfield Sunday.

Lynn Hannah and Clyde Hatfield went to Peach creek, W. Va., to work.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Chaffin have moved back up the river.

Misses Julia, Florence and Beulah Griffith, Florence Chandler were the all day guests of Miss Emma Chandler Sunday.

Jasper and Frank Chandler returned home sick from Williamson, W. Va., where they have been working.

Mrs. Mary Hatfield is visiting her daughter at Ulysses, Mrs. Elizabeth Miller.

Ova and Elmer Chandler of Betsey Layne visited here Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Skaggs visited at Offutt Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Lizzie Griffith was calling on Mrs. Viole Griffith Saturday.

Miss Audrey Chandler called on Mrs. Mattie Chandler Sunday.

## CATLETTSBURG

Mr. and Mrs. Young Return to Bluefield.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Young and children, Betty and Jessamine, after spending the Thanksgiving holidays in Ashland with Mrs. Young's parents, Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Herby, left Saturday for their new home in Bluefield, W. Va.

Mr. Young has been made manager and secretary in an automobile company recently organized there and in which he is a stockholder. Associated with him are two very prominent real capitalists of West Virginia, Mr. Rahn of Huntington and Mr. Brown of Bluefield.

**First Woman On Jury Commission.**  
The distinction of being the first woman jury commissioner in Boyd county goes to Mrs. J. Shouse Martin of South Ashland who is serving in that capacity at the present civil term of Boyd county court.

Mrs. Martin was also the first woman juror in Boyd county. She served as juror at the criminal term of court in January.

The two other members of the jury commission are Dan Vose and W. H. Carp.

**Marriage Licenses.**  
Avery Barbons, 21, Wayne, W. Va., Miss Ivie Hensley, 21, Wayne, W. Va., James Deoble, 22, car worker, Logan, W. Va., Miss Viola Malone, 21, Logan.

**Shower Honors Mrs. Kentner.**  
One of the very attractive parties of the evening was the most elegant shower given by Miss Helen Blackworth at her home on Lexington avenue, Ashland. The party was conferred upon Mrs. Thos. Jefferson Kentner, Jr., whose wedding took place in late November. The home expressed a lovely floral note in colors of red and yellow. The decoration in the dining room was a perfect picture of the living room and hall, the table holding a centerpiece of red rose buds arranged in a silver basket. The bride was showered with many beautiful and useful gifts by her friends. \$20.00 was served on a elegant luncheon course to the thirty invited guests.

**Local and Personal.**  
J. W. M. Stewart of Ashland left yesterday for Washington, D. C., on a business trip.

E. W. Pendleton, prominent attorney of Prestonsburg, Mrs. Pendleton and daughter, Miss Allen, were visitors in Ashland for a few days.

Miss Edith Marum spent the week end in Huntington with her sister, Mrs. L. G. Hyner.

Miss Janette O'Neal, attractive daughter of Atty. and Mrs. W. H. O'Neal is spending a few days in Cincinnati.

Lacey Hyron and Fred O'Neal went to Mr. Stirling as representatives of Catlettsburg Lodge of Elks and attended the funeral of R. T. Wells, a member who died recently.

Mrs. A. L. Herr spent the week in Lexington visiting her daughter, Miss Emily Herr, who is a student at Sayre School.

Jack Thompson has returned from a several days' hunting trip to Fallsburg and vicinity.

Miss Ananda Yates is very ill at the home of her sister, Mrs. George Gunnell, Sr., on Chestnut street.

Miss Virginia Scholze is at Dayton, O., the guest for a week of Miss Mary Florence Macann. She spent Thanksgiving here.

Mrs. H. A. Scholze was shipping in Ashland Monday.

## KENTUCKY OIL NEWS.

Judge N. P. Howard, prominent oil operator of Lexington, who has extensive holdings in the eastern Kentucky field, is of the opinion that the price of oil will continue to decline instead of advance, so long as the producers keep drilling new wells and adding to the accumulated stocks.

Operators should cease drilling and "hold," said Judge Howard, "until the surplus stocks are in some measure reduced and then the price would advance in keeping with the demand."

As long as the oil is in nature's receptacles in the ground, operators should realize that they do not have to pay tankage charges. So I say that it is better to hold the oil in the ground, like the tobacco men do their tobacco in the pool, waiting for the demand for their product to bring better prices. If this policy could be followed by the oil producers, it would not be long before they would be receiving here in Kentucky \$4 a barrel, instead of around \$2 for their oil," said Judge Howard.

The Big Five Petroleum Company has just completed a good well on the Leo Owens lease, near Elma, Johnson county. This is the initial well on this tract and is reported to be good for twenty barrels.

Crude oil runs from the eastern and southern Kentucky oil fields for the week ending Nov. 25, as reported by the Cumberland Pipe Line Company, totaled \$6,312.11 barrels, as compared with \$2,381.71 for the previous week—a increase of approximately 1,500 barrels.

**PATENTS GRANTED TO FIVE KENTUCKIANS**  
Washington, Dec. 5.—Patents were issued here today to the following Kentuckians: Richard F. Ploft of Louisville, method and apparatus for supplying fuel to cylinders of internal combustion engines; Christian Von Almen of Louisville, jar top or closure; Edward P. Smith of Jenkins, demountable suit rim; and George E. Williams and J. E. Stultz of Stone, coal auger.

## RED CROSS PUTS UP \$9,739,872

Year's Budget Stresses Relief and Services at Home and Overseas.

MILLIONS FOR VETERAN AID

Over \$3,000,000 Allotted to the Disabled—Foreign Work Lessens.

Washington.—Expenditures totaling \$9,739,872.47 for carrying through its program of services and relief during the fiscal year in the United States and overseas are authorized in the budget of the American Red Cross, effective July 1, 1923. This total is \$2,735,973 less than the expenditures for the last fiscal year, when disbursements reached \$12,475,847.89. It is announced at National Headquarters in a statement emphasizing the necessity of continued support of the organization by enrollment during the annual Roll Call.

This total for the budget is exclusive of the large financial operations of the 3,300 active Red Cross Chapters, which, it is estimated, will more than double the total.

**War Veterans Have First Call**  
First call on Red Cross funds is for the disabled ex-service men, of whom 27,487 were receiving treatment from the Government on June 1 last. This work for veterans and their families is a wide variety of service that the Government is not authorized to render and for which it has neither funds nor facilities has the call on \$3,030,632.99 during the current year, or about \$266,000 more than was expended last year for soldier service. Adding the funds disbursed in this humanitarian work of physical reconstruction following the World War by the Chapters throughout the country will approximate a total for the current year approaching \$10,000,000.

This work, in the opinion of the Surgeon General's office, will not react in its peak before 1926.

Through its Chapters the American Red Cross is equipped to find the individual ex-service man, help him in his problems and difficulties, provide immediately for his necessities, and open the way for him to the Government compensation and aid to which he is entitled. The extension of this work to the families of such men proves to them that the Red Cross has lost none of its sympathy nor will to service manifested in wartime. Similarly the service goes out to the men still in the Army and Navy, 11,087 of whom were under treatment in Government hospitals on June 1, 1922.

**Greater Domestic Program**  
This year—after five years of constructive effort during the war and after the armistice—brings with it a greater responsibility for domestic service to the American Red Cross. The budget for foreign operations, however, totals \$3,030,632.99, but of this amount \$1,834,000 is for medical relief and hospital supplies for Russia, which is a part of the gift made by the American Red Cross in 1921 to the Russian famine relief work of the American Relief Administration program. The child health service in Europe continues, moreover, and \$654,000 is appropriated for this work in undertaken in 1920. Other items in the stringently diminished foreign program include \$200,000 to support the League of Red Cross Societies, \$22,000 for nurses training schools instituted by the Red Cross abroad, and \$600,000 for liquidation of the general Red Cross foreign relief program.

**Prepared for Emergencies**  
For disaster relief the Red Cross has set aside \$500,000, and for emergency work \$400,000 to be available for domestic, insular and foreign demands. This is more than \$305,000 above last year's expenditures. For service and assistance to the 3,300 Chapters and their branches \$1,203,000 is provided by the National organization.

Other budget items of importance in the domestic program include \$200,000 for assistance to other organizations and education institutions for training Red Cross nurses and workers; \$100,000 for Roll Call assistance furnished to Chapters; \$100,000 for unforeseen contingencies.

Of the total budget less than \$500,000 is allotted for management in the National organization. No cash estimate, of course, is possible to weigh the value of the service by volunteers in the Chapters.

**THE RED CROSS SUPPLEMENTS GOVERNMENT SERVICE BY MEETING THE PARTICULAR NEEDS OF THE INDIVIDUAL EX-SERVICE MAN. THIS WORK CANNOT GO ON UNLESS YOU SUPPORT IT WITH YOUR MEMBERSHIP DOLLAR. PAY UP TODAY**

## YATESVILLE

Remember Rev. Hewlett's appointment to preach here next Sunday week.

The entertainment and pie social here Thursday night was quite a success.

Misses Blankenship attended Sunday school at Myrtle chapel Sunday.

Phyllis Estelene, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Denver Holbrook, is very sick.

Shut Chaffin of Mohawk, W. Va., is spending a few days with home folks.

Misses Grace Crank and Opal Chaffin called on the Misses Chaffins Sunday.

Miss Frankie Holbrook spent Sunday with Miss Dora Bradley.

Misses Imogene and Geneva Blankenship spent Sunday with Florence and Helen Crank.

Mr. and Mrs. Blisto Roberts spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Gene Crank.

Mr. and Mrs. Worth Blankenship spent Sunday with his parents.

Lawrence Prichard was in Louisa Sunday.

Thelma Ball spent Sunday night with Agnes Short.

Jim Vanhorn called on his parents at Cadmus Sunday.

Ray Short was in Louisa Thursday.

J. M. Bentley was in Louisa Monday.

Mrs. Clara Sulters was shopping in Louisa Wednesday.

## SNOW HILL

**PLEASANT RIDGE**  
Rev. Hutchison failed to fill his appointment here Saturday night and Sunday on account of illness.

Landon Carter of Yatesville was calling on friends here Friday.

Cecil and Oma Wellman spent Friday with Ollie Chapman.

Mrs. Emma Newson and daughter spent Thursday with her sister, Mrs. Jim Adams.

Milt Wellman of Ledelsa spent Friday and Saturday with relatives here.

John Adams of Irish creek spent Thursday night with Jim Adams and family.

John Nelson of Louisa, Route 2, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Nelson.

Elves Wellman, Mrs. J. F. Nelson and daughter were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Clarkson of Buysville Sunday afternoon.

Jack Wellman spent Sunday night with his uncle, George Meek, and family of Buysville.

Miss Carrie Hickrell of Smoky Valley spent Saturday night and Sunday with friends here.

Miss Virgie Hutchison of Bennet was the Sunday guest of Miss Gene Hutchison.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bradley were business visitors in Louisa Saturday.

Miss Hildy J. Adams who has been staying with her brother and family at Deep Hole has returned home.

Work has begun a little new road around the M. Nelson hill. It will be a great help to the public.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Roberts and J. Roberts were Sunday guests of G. A. Haws and family and were accompanied home by Georgia Lee and Emily Haws and all attended church at Smoky Valley Sunday night.

Al Hutchison is having his barn improved.

We were sorry to hear of the death of Fred Wellman's twin baby, Roy Otho Wellman. We extend our sympathy.

Aunt Esther Frazier who has been sick is improving.

Mrs. G. A. Haws spent Sunday at termion with Misses Gene Hutchison and Gladys Bentley.

## SNOW HILL

## YATESVILLE

The entertainment here last Thursday night was quite a success. A large crowd was present. An interesting program was rendered by the school which was enjoyed by all. Much credit is due our teacher, Miss Gipsy Blankenship, who trained these children and conducted the affair. She is one of Lawrence county's leading teachers and we are so thankful indeed to have her as our teacher.

Mrs. J. H. Atkins who has been visiting at Prestonsburg came home Sunday.

Mrs. Bascom Thacker and children spent last week with her brother at Jenkins.

Leather Prince was the last week end guest of his sister at Oil Springs. J. S. McClung spent Thanksgiving here.

Ray Short was a business caller in Louisa Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bristol Roberts and children spent Sunday with Gene Crank at Fallsburg.

L. E. Bradley and family were in Louisa Sunday.

Miss Frankie Holbrook spent Sunday with Mrs. Denver Holbrook.

Misses Imogene and Geneva Blankenship were Sunday guests of Miss Florence Crank.

Curt Ramey and daughters were in Louisa Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Blankenship were out motoring Sunday.

Stant Chaffin is visiting home folks here this week.

Rev. H. H. Hewlett will preach here Sunday morning, Dec. 17.

There will be a Christmas tree here Saturday night, Dec. 23.

W. M. Justice of Louisa and Mr. and Mrs. Worth Blankenship were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. Blankenship.

## WINTER

**OLD FOLKS NEED NOT BE FEEBLE**

If you are "getting along in years" you don't need to sit in a chimney corner and dream of the days when you were full of life and vitality.

Keep your blood rich and pure and your system built up with Gude's Pepto-Mangan, and you will feel stronger, younger and livelier than you have for years. Get it today and watch the result.

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**Farm at Orr, Ky.** Well known as the N. T. Johnson farm. 35 1/2 acres, 400 ft. land, 20 acres orchard, 20 acres timber, 1 room cottage, barn, other outbuildings and good well. Price \$1,000, \$500 down and balance on 5 year term payments. HOBSON, 304 1/2 S. N. Superior, Ohio. 1-11-11

**Farm of 125 acres,** located on Ivy Ridge, Lawrence county, Ky. Good new 5 room dwelling house, barn, fine orchard, plenty of good water, close to school and church, good roads, some good timber, good grazing land, extra fine garden. Land is level to rolling and is productive. Must suitable for general farming, fruiting and grazing. Will make a fine place if sold at once. See or write owner, LINDSEY MOORE, R. 1, Box 2, Louisa, Ky. 1-11-11

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## SENATOR HARRIS FAVORS SPECIAL NORMAL SESSION

Is Opposed to Morehead as  
Site For The New Normal  
School.

Senator H. H. Harris, representing Boyd, Lawrence, Johnson and Martin counties in the upper house of the Kentucky legislature, today declared himself opposed to the selection of Morehead for the site of the eastern normal school and asserted he favors a special session of the legislature to repeal the school act.

In reply to an inquiry from a Louisville newspaper, Senator Harris, who fathered the bill for the new normal, said the following telegram today:

"I favor a special session of the legislature as against judicial action, primarily because I believe it will save time in getting the school question properly settled. It could not be decided and would probably cost a much or more than a special legislative session."

"I do not approve of the location of the eastern school, feeling that the suspicion that trickery had something to do with it might reflect discredit on the established school."

"I believe a special session will be far better and I will vote to repeal the law and for the substitution of passage of the same bill originally introduced before it was amended to the original bill the sites for the schools would have been selected by the state board of education."

Senator Harris said his original bill which was passed by both the senate and the house, only to be amended, called for the choosing of sites to be left to the state board of education. The amendment offered by Representative J. J. Lincoln, county provided for the creation of the commission of eight, three to be named by President Ballard and five by Speaker Thompson, independent.

### HULETTE

Church here was largely attended Saturday night and Sunday.

The sick of our community are improving.

Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Queen entertained a number of their friends.

We have recently learned that Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Frasier are going to move to Cincinnati where Mr. Frasier has employment.

Miss Alvah Harman was calling on Doves and Addie Poe Sunday.

Olga Moore, Cora Wooten and Helen Compton were visiting the Compton girls Sunday evening.

Robert Poe was calling on his best girl at Catalpa Sunday.

Steve Frasier of Zella spent Saturday night and Sunday with his aunt Mrs. S. G. Queen.

Tom Wooten who had employment at Catlettsburg has returned home.

Okley Poe spent Saturday night with his sister, Phyllis Sunday.

Olga Moore spent Saturday night and Sunday with Cora Wooten.

WILD ROSE.

## Deadlocked Jury in Robbins Case Discharged

Jackson.—Unable to return a verdict, the jury which had been considering the case of Nicholas Robbins, charged with the murder of Mrs. William Hawkins, was discharged by Special Judge Chester Bach. It is said that the jurors stood nine to three for acquittal. Mrs. Hawkins was struck and instantly killed by a stray bullet after church at Elkton, Ky., a few weeks ago when Robbins and Bruce Gabbard engaged in a pistol duel. Gabbard also is under indictment, charged with murder. Several other murder cases which were to be called Monday have been reassigned for a later date because of the absence of Floyd Byrd, attorney, called to Frankfort for a conference in regard to the Clayhole election cases.

Don't fail to read page 3 of this section. Important.

J. ISRALESKY.

## Held Under Bond on Prohibition Charge

When federal and state dry officers said they had found a moonshine still and a quantity of corn mash on his farm in Wayne county, W. Va., back of Harveysburg, Enoch Adkins, Jr., was held under \$15,000 bond to the March term of the federal court by United States Commissioner J. P. Douglas, says the Herald Dispatch. The raid of the prohibition men took place Sunday night.

## Thanksgiving Dinner at Frankfort Prison

Frankfort, Ind.—at the State Reformatory ate cake supplied by the thirteen Eudora societies of the State. Roast, 12½, totaling 2,200 pounds, was substituted for turkey. In addition to the regular Thanksgiving dinner the prisoners ate 1,000 pounds of cranberries, 1,500 cakes and ten barrels of sweet potatoes.

## Former Judge, Slayer, Pardoned by Governor

Frankfort.—E. C. Kibbrell, former judge of Salt Lick, Bath county, serving a five year sentence in connection with the death of Edward Bailey, son of Salt Lick, who was shot in a fight at that place, was pardoned by Governor Morrow. In granting the pardon, Governor Morrow declared that Kibbrell was a good man and that the field which resulted fatally for Bailey, was, he believed, forced on Kibbrell.

## Big Sandy News Makes Good Christmas Gift

Order the Big Sandy News, now as a Christmas present. A Christmas greeting card will be mailed from this office in time to reach the subscriber by the 25th. 20¢ subscription will start with issue of that week or at any time before Feb. 1, 1923 per year.

## Sky The Limit For This Memorial



In the rotunda of the Mammoth Cave, Ky., is this memorial, which can reach to the sky—and still will be uncompleted. Visitors to the cave will bring stones from every State in the union to lay on it.

## ERECT MEMORIAL TO OUR SOLDIER DEAD AT MAMMOTH CAVE

Glasgow Kentucky Post Of  
American Legion Start  
Unique Monument

In the rotunda of Mammoth Cave, Kentucky, visited by thousands each year, there has been erected a memorial to the American dead of the World war.

Within this monument raised by the living service men to the memory of their heroic departed, are placed the names of all American soldiers who gave their lives in the Great Cause.

The memorial was established and dedicated by the Barron County Post No. 28, American Legion of Glasgow, Ky., and the inscription reads:

IN MEMORY  
OF OUR  
FALLEN COMRADES  
OF KENTUCKY  
AND THE  
AMERICAN DEAD  
OF THE  
WORLD WAR.

The Barron County Post requests all Legionnaires who visit Mammoth Cave in the future to bring with them from their states or other countries, boulders or stones to pile on top of those already placed by the Kentucky Legionnaires about the memorial.

Thus will rise, higher and higher each year, a monument made by the hands of former fighting men from every section of the country, and from foreign countries, in reverence to the buddies who went West.

The monument to the heroic dead will be tended with loving care by Legionnaires of Glasgow, Brent G. Nunnally, adjutant, Department of Kentucky, says, and will renew in the hearts of many thousands of visitors to Mammoth Cave each year, a reverence and a gratitude for the sacrifices of America's sons.

Within the famous cave another monument is being built by Legionnaires, one dedicated to the living, to the American Legion and the American Legion Auxiliary.

Returning from the National Convention of the American Legion at New Orleans, Minnesota and Pennsylvania members of the Legion and Auxiliary started it, each member placing a rock. Those who started the pile have requested that a permanent American Legion and American Legion Auxiliary marker be erected.

## Gold Coins Favored as Christmas Gifts

Washington, Dec. 2.—The old custom of using gold coins for Christmas gifts, so strongly discouraged during the war, is no longer looked on with disfavor by the Treasury. Acting Governor Platt of the Federal Reserve board informed the reserve banks that the Treasury has withdrawn its objections to the release of gold for such purposes, and said the Reserve board invited a revival of the practice.

Sh-h-h-h!!



Sh-h-h-h!!

# Confidential!

"My sleigh is piled high.

Reindeer hitched and champing at the bit.

Your Christmas Day is at hand again.

Soon now, I'll be on my way, sooner than you expect, only 14 Shopping Days away.

This is a suggestion to you, and all of my friends.

Avoid the crowds by doing your Christmas shopping Early.

Nobody likes a wild jam, nobody wants to discomfort himself or herself if it can be avoided, still year after year hundreds of folks in Louisa, Fort Gay and surrounding country wait until the last moment to do their Christmas Shopping.

You want Comfort, Ease and Certainty in selection of Christmas gifts, because they are, and should be,—Tokens of Love.

The Merchants made their selections and purchases months ago. This is their service to you.

Stocks are new, bright and complete in all stores.

There is a great deal more pleasure and comfort in making selections now than in depleted stocks of the last hour rush.

The Merchants whose advertisements appear in this paper have asked me to especially invite you to do your Shopping Early.

Go to town TODAY!

Look --- Select, Buy and Store Away. --- 'Twill make for Greater Happiness on Christmas Day."

## Engraved Cards for Holidays



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WEEKLY HAPPENINGS OF LAWRENCE COUNTY

NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS FROM RURAL DISTRICTS

LETTERS FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS

GRIFFITH CREEK

Sam Cook has bought Charley Daniels farm. Mr. Daniels is going to move to Louisa where they will have better school accommodations. Rev. and Mrs. Daniel Fox will leave in a few days for Pennsylvania where they will spend the holidays with relatives.

Mrs. Lindsey Moore is on the sick list. Robt. L. Bailey who got hurt by a late fall three months ago is about well and will return to Pond creek next week.

We understand No. 37 and No. 38 are soon to go to stopping at Gallup again. This will be a great advantage to our people as road conditions and backwater makes travel intolerable during the winter months, especially at night from Chapman.

Our roads are yet in good order, not so much wagon traffic since we have left. We have done our part on road work and all who own cars have done quite a bit of extra work in "stitch in time" jobs which is the only way to keep a road right anyway.

C. Victor Back was down from Bordentown last week doing a lot of building and butchering.

J. W. Harris has moved to Floyd county where he has a large homestead of timber which he is sawing into lumber which finds a ready local market on Beaver creek where this boundary is located.

The Baptist church at Cherryville has its new building well under way. The church wishes to express its thanks to Calhoun church which sent a liberal donation recently.

Mrs. Martha Back is on Blaine visiting relatives. Coal users are finding coal harder to get than for years as nearly all our miners are away working at the big mines. These cold nights are making the gas users' meters do the "March" in leaps and bounds.

While driving through in an automobile for a visit with Ashland relatives, the little daughter of Rosemary Huntington contracted pneumonia. Her mother says is in a critical condition there.

Sam Hunt has rented his farm to Sam Cook and is going to move back to Johnson county, their former home. W. L. Hardin has traded his farm at Stockdale, Ohio, to a farm on Nats creek. He has given up the idea of going to Ohio altogether and is building a nice two story dwelling on his farm here where his old home was burned last summer.

George W. Moore has received a pension of \$20.00 per month and back pay from discharge. Mr. Moore who is past middle age, volunteered at the outbreak of the war, losing his health and his pension is but a fit reward for the spirit he showed at the beginning of the World war. Several of our young people attended church at Cherryville Sunday. Dan C. Belcher has bought a farm on our creek and has moved back from Ft. Gay.

MADGE AND IRAD

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Roberts spent Sunday with G. A. Hays and family. Louie Pigg is on the sick list. Miss Ivory Barchett spent the week-end with home folks.

Wm. Barnett made a business trip to Louisa Sunday. Miss Golda Hughes, Thelma, Golda, Gertrude and Carrie Barnett, Messrs. Earl, Clyde, Ray, Carmite, Thurman, Beckham, Hughes and Howard Carter were the Sunday guests of the Messrs. and Messrs. May.

Miss Violet Roberts and Thelma Barnett visited Midway school Friday. Garnet Diamond spent Thanksgiving with Beckham and Thurman Hughes.

Slack Jordan purchased a fine span of young mules. Miss Thelma Barnett visited J. O. Pigg and family one day last week. Robert Carter and Clyde Carmite passed down our creek Sunday.

John Rose has returned home from Portsmouth, Ohio. Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Prince have gone to Columbus, Ohio. Gertrude Barnett was shopping at Irad Saturday.

Clyde Cunniff of Daniels creek spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Golda Hughes as a business caller on Twin Branch one day last week. Virgie Hutchison of Benns spent Sunday with Georgia Hutchison.

Misses Georgia and Emily Hutchison attended church at Snooky Valley Sunday night. Toni Isaac passed up our creek Friday enroute to Daniels creek. Listen for the wedding bells.

SHORTY.

DENNIS

Lena Kitchen was shopping at Dennis Saturday. Doshia Christian is very ill at this writing. Otto Jobe was calling on his best girl at Dennis Sunday.

Lena Christian is calling on her grandfather, J. L. Moore. Mrs. Lizzie Jobe of Gladys was calling on her brother Saturday. Miss Josephine Rice was the guest of Jennie Cooksey Thursday.

Miss Virgie Hutchison passed up our creek enroute to Irad. Violet O. Rice was calling on Miss Lucy Kitchen Saturday afternoon. Miss Mary Moore of Cadmus was the guest of her aunt, Jennie Christian, Sunday.

Misses Lottie and Edith Compton visited Lena and Edith Kitchen Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Alice Browning was the guest of Mrs. Flora Kitchen.

Lora Kitchen is expected home soon from Belltruss. Mrs. A. J. Cooksey was calling on Mrs. J. L. Neal Friday. Elva O. Chadla was shopping at Dennis Friday.

James Christian and Lewis Kitchen are expected home soon from Coal River. Mrs. Jane Cooksey is very ill. Flora Kitchen has purchased a nice bunch of turkeys.

John Chaffin passed down our creek Sunday. Let us hear from Lattie and Belle-truss and other points. TWO CHUMS.

Don't fail to read the important news on page three.

Old Mendel Goes to Rachel

By ERNEST LEVINE

There was really no reason why Old Mendel should continue at seventy-five to push his cart laden with cheap underwear along the streets of the East side. But the habits of a lifetime are difficult to eradicate, and Mendel had been doing it for thirty-five years.

He had come over from Poland in the prime of life, determined to make a fortune and then send for his wife, Rachel. They had been married ten years, and though they had no children, they had always been happy together, since they first became sweethearts as a boy and girl.

Mendel had not prospered at first. It had taken him two years in a sweatshop to save up enough money to acquire a pushcart, and then the saving up for the steamship fare was a slow process. At last, however, he was able to send the money.

A letter came back enclosing it. Rachel had died of typhus about the time Mendel was buying the draft on the Warsaw bank.

She had died, fancying that he was standing beside her bed, and that some night Mendel had had such a strange dream of her.

He had dreamed he was home, but in a strange house and holding Rachel's hand, and she had told him that she could not come over immediately, but that she would come soon and all would be well.

Old Mendel was dazed by the news. For a week he did something that he self-respecting Jew would think of doing; he got drunk. Then he was found in Hester street with his pin-beat again.

"Time passed. The neighbors who had pitied him, began to look at him at him. 'Why doesn't Mendel get married again?' they asked. They knew he had a tidy sum put by.

Mendel did not marry again, and after a while he was accepted as a confirmed old widower. And he was growing old, so that the girls no longer looked at him. His hair whitened, he let his beard grow long.

Old Mendel had twelve thousand dollars in the bank. There was no reason why he should have continued to push his cart. But every day he was seen in the streets, calling his wares mechanically. Nobody bought of Mendel, for all his goods were out of style. They only said, "There goes Old Mendel!"

Old Mendel loved the streets, the swarming children, for whom he had a pat on the head, and sometimes a penny. He loved the sights and smells of the East side. It was his life. It was the life in which he had found to being Rachel. He often fancied that she was with him. Sometimes people would hear him mutter, but they did not know he was talking to her. They only said, "Old Mendel's getting queer."

The day was so bright and warm. Old Mendel sat down on a doorstep, his pin-beat standing in the road. The policeman, who knew Old Mendel, looked the other way when he saw that Old Mendel was sleeping. Luckily the policeman was on duty, for the rear of the traffic passed into a dull monotonous, and Old Mendel dreamed.

It was so vivid a dream that he might have been living. He saw Rachel standing before him with outstretched arms and such a sweet smile on her face. And it was not Rachel as she would have been, not even as she had been when they kissed each other goodnight before he sailed, but Rachel as she was when he first courted her.

And the first thought that came to Old Mendel was, "Why hasn't she changed in all these years?" But Rachel kissed him and said, "It's been a long waiting for you, my dear, but I've managed to come at last."

Mendel forgot that it was a dream. "God bless you, Rachel!" he said. "I'm going to take such a nice apartment for you—four rooms and a bath. And I've got twelve thousand saved up so we can buy our furniture and live. But I dreamed you were dead, and I've been so unhappy."

"There's no such thing as death, my dear," she answered smilingly. "I've been walking up and down Hester street beside you for years, trying to talk to you, and sometimes you answered me, but you were never quite sure it was I."

Mendel remembered that he had fallen asleep. "I advise you that this isn't a dream!" he pleaded. "Have you really come back to me forever?" "Forever and ever," answered Rachel softly, as she drew his head down to her breast.

The policeman, returning on his patrol, glanced at Mendel again. "The old man's having a long sleep," he thought. He crossed the road and touched him lightly on the shoulder. "Hey, Mendel, wake up!" he said. "Time to go home for supper. You mustn't leave your cart standing in the street."

But Mendel didn't wake up or answer him. He remembered. "The Japanese word for 'good morning' sounds like 'shah,'" a Japanese mentioned this fact to an American the other day. "Ah!" exclaimed the American, "That's easy to remember. It's the name of one of our states."

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RAIN DROP.

Mrs. Zella Roberts was shopping at Belltruss recently.

DENNIS

Virgie Hutchison and Shirley Webb were visiting friends in Carter county last week. The school teacher at Green Valley and Virgie O. Rice and Mary Hutchison were at the gap Sunday morning.

Lena Kitchen is visiting her sister on Belltruss. SCHOOL GIRLS.

GALLUP

The revival meeting which has just closed was a great success. Misses Pauline and Irene McClure have been attending school at the Mrs. C. C. Mayo College, Paintsville, spent Thanksgiving with home folks. They were accompanied home by their friend, Elsie McNeal.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Heath of White House have been visiting relatives at this place. Paul Knight who has employment at Charleston came home for Thanksgiving. Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Bussess and their daughter spent Saturday with her father at home.

Mrs. Noah Ball was called to his sickbed to see her father who was very sick. Mrs. Elizabeth Pollock was the Sunday guest of home folks.

Mr. Adair Bates entertained on Sunday Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Chapman and Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Chapman. Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Chapman were the guests of home folks.

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BUSSEYVILLE

Rev. Polly filled his regular appointment at this place Saturday night and Sunday morning. He changed his appointment for Sunday evening and Sunday night in the future.

Mrs. Reece Keyser of Portsmouth, Ohio, and Mrs. Noah Ball of Gallup spent Thanksgiving with their father, Sol Carter, at this place.

Mrs. T. H. Howe spent Thanksgiving with her daughters, Mrs. Edith Nolen and Miss Edith Howe.

Mrs. Lela Keyser, Kitty Plier and Lillian Carter were the guests of Mrs. Moore Adams this day.

Mrs. Tom Carter spent Thanksgiving with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Howe.

Elmer Howe, Charles Adams, Ray and Edith Thompson left Sunday for their parents at home. Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Bussess were the guests of home folks.

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HULETTE

There was church at Newcomb church house Saturday night and Sunday.

C. R. Lyne was transacting business in Louisa Tuesday.

Frank Nunley has returned home from Knoxville, Tenn.

Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Rice and children were the guests of Mrs. Cynthia Nunley recently.

Several from this place attended church at Pottery Sunday night.

Mrs. Cynthia Nunley who has been on the sick list is better.

Robert P. passed down our creek Sunday enroute to Gallup.

Taylor Moore was a caller on Newcomb Sunday.

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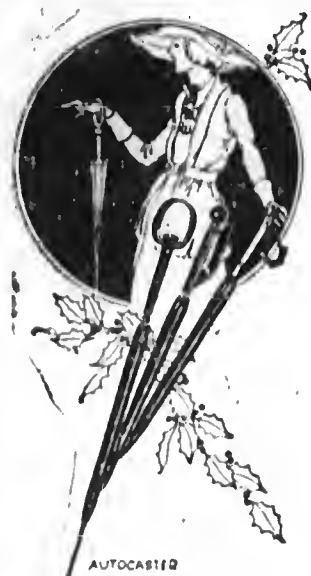
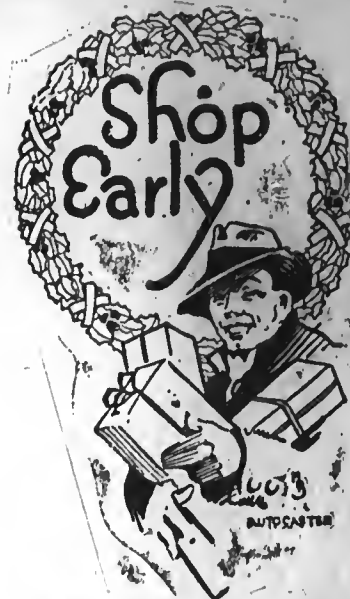




# HOLIDAY SALE

*Starts at J. Isralsky's Store  
at 7:30 A. M. Sharp*

## SATURDAY, DECEMBER 9<sup>TH</sup>, UNTIL XMAS



UMBRELLAS

An Umbrella makes a desirable Xmas present. See our line. We can save you from 25 to 50 per cent.



BATH ROBES

For Men, Women and Children. Our prices are lower than elsewhere, and the quality is of the best.



SWEATERS

For the whole family. All grades. All prices, but lower than others charge you.

MENS HATS  
NECKWEAR  
UNDERWEAR  
MENS SHIRTS  
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Our stock of Christmas goods is now at its best. Mens Suits and Overcoats, Ladies Suits, Coats and Dresses, Coats for Children and Misses, Shoes and Hats for Men Women and Children Bath Robes for Men, Women and Children, Towels, Handkerchiefs in silk, linen, crepe de chine. Kid Gloves for Men and Women. Children, Boys and Misses Gloves. All kinds of Silk and Silk and Wool Hosiery. My stock is more complete than we ever had before. To quote prices it would require too much space, so come and come quick if you want to get real bargains. Everything marked in plain figures.

You better do your shopping at once while my stock is complete and at a greater saving than you ever saw heretofore. Come SATURDAY, DECEMBER 9, and every day until Christmas if you want to save your hard-earned dollars.



**Men's, Young Men's &  
Boys Suits and  
Overcoats  
at a saving of  
25 to 50%**



**Shoes  
for the  
Whole  
Family  
at a saving of  
25%**

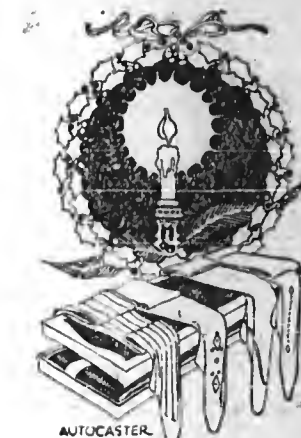
**Ladies'  
Coats,  
Suits &  
Dresses**

*at a saving of  
35 to 60%  
on the dollar*



**5 Yards  
Muslin  
Free!**

In addition to the low prices on SATURDAY, DECEMBER 9, at 7:30 A. M., the first 50 customers that will enter the store and trade \$5 or more will get 5 yards of muslin free. But positively first 50 customers only and must trade \$5 or more at one time and with the same clerk, and any goods bought during the free muslin can not be exchanged nor taken back.



HOSIERY

All kinds of Silk, Lisle, and Silk and Wool Hosiery. Different colors and all prices. Also Hosiery in beautiful Holiday boxes.



GLOVES

Kid Gloves for Men, Women and Children, Boys and Misses.



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In Silk, Linen, Crepe de Chine, in fact all kinds. Also Handkerchiefs in Holiday boxes at prices lower than you can buy elsewhere.



POCKET BOOKS

A very useful gift. We have a nice line at reasonable prices. Also Hand Bags and Suit Cases at a saving of 25 to 50 per cent.

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Remember The Place

Louisa, Ky.



LIVE STOCK AND  
POULTRY RAISINGBE CAREFUL IN FEEDING  
DISHWATER TO HOGS

Dishwater may be a good feed for hogs, and it may not. If it contains a great deal of salt or soap, it is likely not to be. Some salt is good for hogs, but an excess may be poisonous. So may an excess of the alkalies in soap. Pigs especially may be poisoned by the feeding of too much soapy or salty dishwater. A lot of the stuff put in kitchen sinks on most farms has no nutritive value. It is better to separate the waste food, etc., that has a feeding value from the greasy and soapy dishwater and throw the latter away.

APPLY LIME IN  
FALL AND WINTER

Probably fall and winter is as good a time to apply ground limestone to land as any other time and it certainly is the most convenient time. Lining is a rather laborious operation and where it is put off until the busy season, the operation will certainly interfere seriously with the usual farm operations. There is no disadvantage in applying lime to land some time before the crop that it is expected the lime will benefit is planted. In fact, it is probably an advantage, as a better distribution is secured.

## WATER-SLAKED LIME.

I have some lime that was slaked by rain. How much should I use per acre in liming land?

The lime you have in its present state would be called hydrated or water-slaked lime and you would need to put a ton and a half or more to the acre to insure full results.—Southern Agriculturist.

## WALBRIDGE AND HOLT

Thelma Ratcliff was visiting at Fort Gay Saturday.

Gladys Peters spent Saturday and Sunday with Shirley and Thelma Ratcliff.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Birks and daughter have returned home after a few days visit with Mr. and Mrs. Marion Wilson.

J. W. Ratcliff has returned to Alphonso after spending the week-end with home folks.

Jack See left Saturday for Ashland where she will spend a few days.

Harry Stansberry and son returned home Sunday from Matewan, W. Va., where they have been employed.

Thelma Holt of Portsmouth, O., spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Laud Holt.

Mrs. Sam See will leave Tuesday for McRoberts where she will spend Thanksgiving with her daughter, Mrs. Margaret Stump.

Several from here attended the basketball game Friday evening at Louisa.

Miss Nora Roberts and Mary Elizabeth Shannon of Louisa spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Crit See, Jr.

Marion Webb and Emma Wellman were in Louisa Monday.

The little son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Booth is ill at this writing.

Large crowd from here attended church at Lock creek Sunday night.

Miss Belva Wellman is suffering from a sprained ankle received Sunday evening.

2 WILD CATS.

## OSIE

Cecil Adams who has employment at Williamson, W. Va., has been visiting his wife at this place.

Ivory Rose has been visiting her cousin, Hazel Jobe, for the past few days.

Mrs. Cora Derfeld, Mrs. Vernia Carter, Pearl and Ivory Jobe were shopping here Saturday.

Mr. Robinson, traveling salesman, was here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Silas Jobe were calling on Mrs. Carrie Jobe recently.

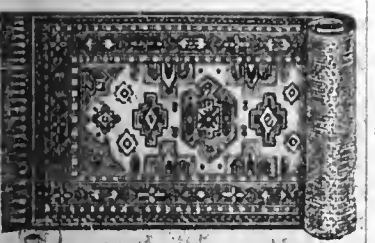
Beckham and Thurman Hughes were at M. V. Berry's last week.

SMILES.

Do you read our Classified Column every week? It contains news for you of much importance.

## LOOK AND LISTEN

A new line of Rugs just in at a better price than they can be bought now.



Furniture of all kinds and prices right.

Hardware, Stoves, Suit Cases, Trunks, and everything for the home.

Call and see my prices and goods.

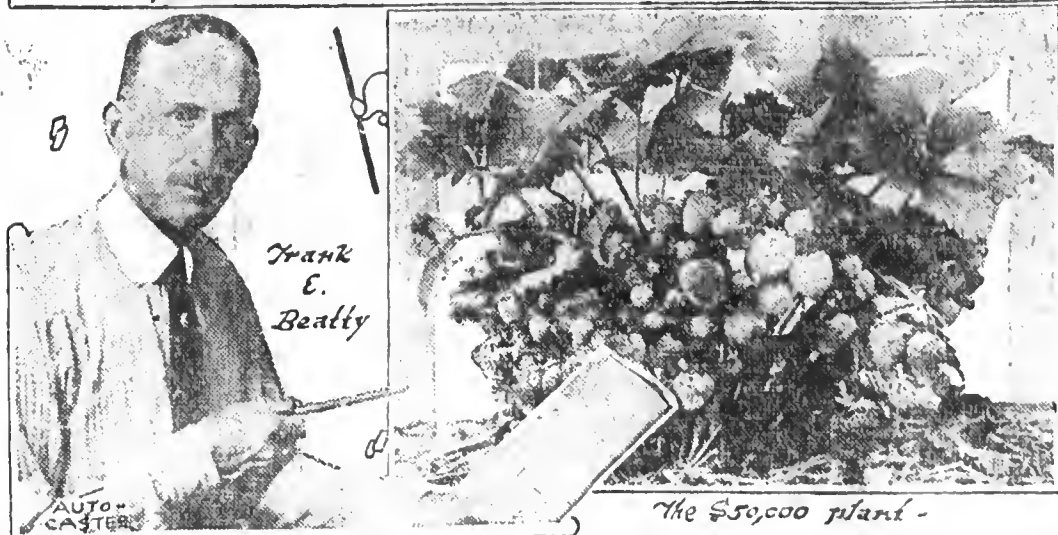
Carload cement just in.

Also, a Garage, Light Plant and Tools for rent at a good price and plenty of repair work.

**L. F. Wellman**  
E. E. Shannon's Old Stand

## TIMELY TOPICS OF INTEREST TO THE FARMER

## Fifty Thousand Dollars For a Strawberry Plant



Frank E. Beatty, of Three Rivers, Michigan, has set a record price for strawberry plants. He paid Harry Rockhill of Conrad, Ia., \$50,000 for an everbearing plant which has taken fourteen years to develop. The berries grown on this plant are gigantic. Mr. Beatty has named it the Rockhill berry.

Six-Legged Sheep  
is Sold For \$600

Richmond, Ky., Dec. 5.—A six-legged sheep raised at the farm of H. B. Brothers in this county near Red House, was sold in Cincinnati for \$600 the week being purchased by T. P. Ross & Company, of Sumter, S. C. It is understood that the strange youngster will go to a circus. The animal walked on five of its legs, the extra one that was of service being attached in front. The sixth leg does not quite touch the ground when the sheep stands on its other five legs.

## MARKET INFORMATION.

The successful farmer, as in the case of the six-legged sheep, is the one who pays attention to market prices and to reports of production and receipts on markets. Doing so, helps him plan his marketing and also helps him in selling his products so as to get the best results. Of course, weather and so many other things have an effect on production that no one can predict exactly for long periods in advance what the market conditions are going to be. This makes it necessary to keep informed regarding the markets all the time. Products should be graded carefully before they are sold. If products are bought and sold on the basis of grade, the man who has good quality products is rewarded and his efforts to market products in proper condition are encouraged. If the same price is paid for all eggs whether their quality is good or poor, there will be no encouragement for the farmer to deliver eggs of high quality. The same is true of cream and of other farm products.

## KENOVA, W. VA.

Business at this place is taking slight boom.

The banquet at the Baptist church Thursday night by the men and boys was quite a success. An interesting talk was given by Ray Marcan of Huntington.

Mrs. Clarence Crossen has returned home after a short visit to her parents at Columbus.

The revival at Ferndale chapel is still in progress.

Wayne Hughes of Yatesville, Ky., called on his cousin at this place Sunday.

Robert Whitney surprised his many friends by bringing in a newly acquired wife Saturday. We extend our congratulations.

Congratulations to C. B. Miller and bride. Also, Harry McCoy and wife who was Miss Fay Campbell.

Mrs. J. W. Collins was the guest of her sister at Huntington Saturday night.

H. K. Perry left recently for the coal fields where he has employment.

Mrs. Mary Hughes has returned home from a visit to her sister, Mrs. Clara Spencer at Argillite, Ky.

The work of making a new sidewalk on Chestnut street is progressing nicely.

Sorry to hear of the death of Lyss Williams of Cains creek. Also, of G. W. Castle of Louisa.

Mrs. Annet B. Hughes visited her cousin, Mrs. Florence Blevins in Ashland Thursday night.

We are glad to hear of Louisa's step of advancement in giving the electric light franchise.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Hughes are contemplating a trip to the sea coast at Norfolk, Va., in the near future.

Jimison Webb has recently been transferred from Kenova to Baltimore, Md., by the Baldwin-Felts detective agency. Mrs. Webb accompanied him there.

The majority of the boys have returned home from California where they were led by wild tales of fortune.

Mrs. Minnie Campbell has returned home from a visit to relatives near Fallsburg, Ky.

Grandma Crossen who has been sick for some time is no better.

Wild ducks are getting very numerous on the river now.

YOU AND I.

## FOR SALE

BY BEN CASSIDY  
The Big Sandy Real Estate Dealer

1. One 200 A. farm, 100 A. level, 150 A. low clay, 2 ditches, 2 barns, etc. Price \$10,000.

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## MALONETON

Small school is progressing nicely with large attendance.

N. N. McDaniel is on the sick list.

Miss Gaynelle Clark of Mossy Bluff is visiting relatives at this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kelley and Jas. Kelley of Portsmouth, Ia., spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Kelley.

Jasper and Frank Edley entertained a number of their friends Sunday afternoon.

Martha May returned home Saturday after spending a few weeks with her mother, Mrs. Mary Clark of Williamsburg, O.

Miss Barbara and Josephine Clark who are attending school at Iowa are expected home soon.

Win Clark and wife were in Greenup Friday on business.

Arthur Swartzman lost a fine horse last week.

Rev. Moore will leave soon for Vintonburg.

Misses Phoebe Fanning, Myrtle, Ivy and Gertrude Clark, Mrs. Frank and Mr. Edley, Raymond Hamish and Charles Barber moved to Falmouth Sunday evening.

Mrs. Wm. Gordon is visiting her mother, Mrs. Zie Bittner of Portsmouth.

SNOW BALL.

## KENOVA, W. VA.

Bro. Kenon has just closed a revival at 14th street Methodist church south.

Rev. John T. Moore has gone to Orlando, Florida, for the winter.

Mrs. John H. Preton who has been sick is much improved.

J. F. D. Borders of Elays was visiting here this week.

Allen Cummins of Ledoto, Ky., has sold his farm and home, properly here. We welcome Mr. Cummins among us.

Lauder Miller of Landale has been visiting his sister at this place.

Nathan Borders who is teaching school in Mingo county was visiting some folks last week.

Mrs. Mayle King is preparing to go to Louisa to take treatment under Dr. York at Riverview hospital.

Clyde Borders has returned from Logan.

John Chaslin has gone to Elk River where he has a contract of bridge construction work.

## NORTH STAR

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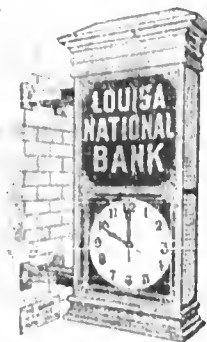
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## LETTERS FROM RURAL DISTRICTS

## FALLSBURG

Our school is progressing nicely at this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Worley spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. L. Cooksey.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Maddy attended Sunday school at this place Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Anderson and little grandson spent Saturday and Sunday with her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Margaret Lowe Cochran at this place.

Miss Nona May Cooksey was calling on Miss Grace Jordan Sunday.

Miss Phylla Henson spent Sunday evening with her sister, Mrs. Bert Cooksey.

Jim Fugate was calling on H. H. Cochran Monday.

Mrs. L. V. Calnes was calling on Addie Rice last Sunday.

Mrs. H. H. Cochran and little daughter were calling on Mrs. A. Johnson last Sunday.

Remember Sunday school each Sunday at 10 o'clock.

Church every second Sunday by Rev. H. B. Hewitt of Louisa. Every fourth Sunday by Brother John H. Lupa. Everybody invited to attend.

## CHUCKERY, OHIO

Farmers at this place are busy bucking corn.

Grathel Spaulding who has been sick is better.

Muriel Vanhoushe and wife of Plain City motored to Chuckery Monday.

Mr. Pinner and family moved to Chuckery. Their former home was in Montana.

N. E. Saxton and two children are very ill at this writing.

The Chuckery high school gave a kitchen orchestra November 28.

Hershel Baldridge of Rossdale was the guest at Chuckery Sunday night.

A surprise party was given at John Burns' a few days ago for his son, Henry, who was fifteen years old. All report a nice time.

Gladys Roush was calling on Cora Spaulding Sunday last.

Deana Hicks, who has been working at Columbus, Ohio, spent the Thanksgiving holidays with home folks.

Martha Spaulding and son made a business trip to Plain City Friday last.

Irene Hugo went to Lima to spend Thanksgiving.

Mrs. Esta McGill of Zanesville was calling on home folks Thanksgiving day.

Mrs. Samantha Austin and children were calling on Martha Spaulding Thanksgiving.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Siders are moving from here to Delaware, Ohio. We are very sorry to lose our neighbors.

Arthur Hicks was visiting home folks Sunday last.

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## CORDELL

Nothing is all the go here now. Several attended church at Lower Irish Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Gartin have returned home from Columbus, O.

Opal Baker was the Sunday guest of Golda Melbowell.

Arlie Holtbrook of Hicksville was calling on his best girl Sunday.

Kay Jordan and family of Louisa motored down our creek Friday.

Phylla Prince was the guest of little Miss Ethel Marie Cordle Sunday.

Nona and Lonzai Arlington and father motored to Louisa and back Friday.

We are glad to say Mrs. Susie Prince is able to be out again.

Bascom Moore has returned home from Columbus.

Watson Moore of Cherokee and Lydia Osborn were the Sunday evening guests of Nona Arlington.

Willie Moore and Charley Curran made a business trip to Blaine Thursday.

Sylvia Shoole was the Sunday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Steele.

Remember church at Cordell third Saturday and Sunday of this month.

TWO DEMOCRATS.

## MEADS BRANCH

Church here Saturday night and Sunday was largely attended.

There will be church here Saturday night and Sunday. Everybody come.

Horn, to Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Nelson, a fine gift.

Mrs. A. H. Miller took dinner Sunday with Mrs. Leo Meade.

Willie Miller of Beaver creek is visiting home folks.

Shirley Miller and Herbert Wellman attended church here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Miller and children spent Sunday at H. Blackburn's.

Canada Blackburn attended church here Sunday.

Basel Days of Regina was on our creek Sunday.

Listen for the wedding bells.

Miss Della Mead is contemplating a trip to Ohio soon.

Uncle Emory Castle is very ill at this writing.

Mrs. Ella Hickman and Mary Miller were on our creek Saturday.

Miss Able Miller will visit relatives at Paintsville soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Pharo Childers and children spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. J. A. Stewart.

J. R. Miller and little son spent Sunday night with A. C. Miller at Tadpole.

Robert Stewart is expected home soon from Hatfield, W. Va.

Nelda and Nola Kise called at F. M. Pack's Saturday on business.

Miss Eva Meade has returned home from Paintsville.

Miss Hazel Wagner was on our creek one day last week.

WHITE EYE.

## YATESVILLE

About a week ago George C. Short, one of our neighbors, while attempting to put a bale of hay into his barn loft, fell from a ladder a distance of ten feet, the bale of hay falling on him causing him very painful injuries. The latest reports are to the effect that he is improving.

John A. Berry who has been on the sick list for so long is now able to stir about the house.

Dr. Sparks of Louisa passed thru here last Friday enroute to Jeff Co. busworth's and Charley Bentley's on that, each of whom was so badly burned in the powder explosion some over a week ago.

The saw mill here is doing a thriving business. M. F. Short and Jay Saiters have hauled to the mill a fine lot of timber which will be cut into lumber at once.

J. D. Adkins has the contract of remodeling the bridge across the branch just below the school house and will begin the stone work at once.

J. W. Elkins, together with a few other Yatesvillers attended the Masonic meeting at Louisa on last Monday night.

Farmers are about done gathering corn which proves to be light through this section.

The road grading is practically completed to the Lloyd county line and the bridge crossing Blaine creek at Wm. Savage's will be ready for use by Christmas, so it is said.

Edmund Johnson, one of our stock merchants is furnishing hives for Queen and Lambert's meat shop.

Mrs. Mary Jane Viers house, together with its contents, was destroyed by fire early last Friday, the last and she being a respectable widow with practically no income is receiving very liberal contributions from our good people.

T. H. Chadwick, our transient officer, was here among us again last week. We are sorry to note that our school here has been somewhat interfered with by sickness, which condition still prevails, there being a considerable amount of sickness among many of the smaller children of our locality.

COUNTRY GREENHORN.

## EAST POINT

Mrs. J. M. Moles and son of Auxler spent the week end here the guests of relatives.

School was closed here from Wednesday until Monday. Mr. Adams spent the holidays in Cincinnati. Miss Webb with home folks at Van Lear. We are having a splendid school this year.

Mrs. Mrs. Willie Robinson and baby daughter are the guests of Mrs. Robinson's parents.

Mrs. Wm. Fidler was in Prestonsburg, recently calling on friends and relatives.

Dorward H. Price spent Thanksgiving with his uncle, Clate Preston.

Uncle Ned Stapleton and wife of Mud Lick are visiting relatives here.

Mrs. J. G. Hager and Mrs. Malcolm Hager and children were in Prestonsburg Monday and Tuesday, the guests of relatives.

C. S. Friend and Nert Fauna of Van Lear Junction were here repairing Van S. M. Musie's car.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Musie and children of Junction City were here last Sunday the guests of Mrs. W. W. Greer.

Mrs. Frank Ramey, Miss Alka May Webb, Chas. G. Adams and George L. Ramey went to Van Lear Monday to see the minstrel show given by Paintsville high school boys. Douglas Ramey was an actor in this show.

Mrs. Maude May of Cliff and Mrs. H. L. Spradlin were the all day guests of aunt Lottie Auxler Sunday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Shannon, a girl.

The little son of Mr. and Mrs. Inell Ferguson is some better.

Miss Fanny May returned Sunday from a visit to relatives at Hager Hill.

Dr. and Mrs. Frank Ramey and some were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. Hayes Ramey Thanksgiving.

Rev. J. L. Harrington filled his regular appointment here Saturday and Sunday. The time for services has been changed from the fourth to the first Saturday and Sunday in each month.

S. M. Musie spent the week end with home folks.

Otto Niles was a business visitor in Paintsville Saturday.

The Parent Teachers Association held here Friday was a success. Auxler school visited on that day. Also, Mrs. J. Melvin Hall of Paintsville. Quite a number of the parents of the district were present. Every one thoroughly enjoyed the following program:

Song by audience.

Recitation—The Elf Child—Mildred Musie.

Recitation—Strive—Dorothy Robinson.

Recitation—The land of Nod—May Stevens.

Today and Tomorrow—J. Melvin Hall.

The Value of Education—Superintendent Meade.

Prof. Bradenbourg gave us a straight front to the shoulder talk on the duties of parents toward their children and their children's teachers. It may have hit some of us in a sore spot, but all enjoyed it. The prize of \$2 offered for the largest family present was awarded to David Johnson who was present with his five daughters.

ARUAL.

## EVERGREEN

Lora Thompson spent Sunday with Mrs. Maggie Moore.

Sue Thompson, Lou and Ruby Moore attended church at Thompson chapel Sunday.

Sam Moore was calling on Ray Thompson Saturday.

Lon and Ruby Moore were the Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. E. E. Zirkles.

Ray and Eskham Thompson attended church at Smoky Valley Sunday night.

Laura H. Danaron, Hazel Carter and Wanda Bussey were horseback riding Sunday.

There was church here Saturday night and Sunday by Bro. Hulet.

BLACK BEAUTY.

## John and Eleanor's Dream

By ELLA SAUNDERS

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Their dream had come true at last. John and Eleanor looked at each other with startled eyes, as if unable to believe it. After two years of city life—an apartment, modest, but in quite a nice district—they had their country cottage.

The cottage they had always dreamed of. It was John who had found it. It was a little, old-fashioned place with about half an acre of garden, just within the commuting region, yet untouched by modernity. There was not even a bathroom when they rented it. John had had that put in. The whole thing had been a surprise to Eleanor.

She stood among the hollyhocks with shining eyes. "It seems too good to be true," she said. "The dearest place! John, won't we be happy?"

They were. Eleanor revelled in her garden. They had no car, so one to better them. In the evenings Eleanor sewed or read, while John, when he was not detained at the office, as frequently happened, went through his accounts and correspondence.

"We'll save all the expenses of a holiday now, dearest," said John. "I shall simply knock off work for a couple of weeks and stay here with you."

That event happened a few weeks after they had moved in. It was the latter part of August, something hot; John sat in his shirt-sleeves all day under the big maples, going through letters and wishing that he had his stenographer with him.

"John, dearest," said Eleanor, bending over him. "Don't you think you ought to get a little exercise now that you're free?"

"I've thought of that," answered John, snuggling down his waistcoat. "Trouble is, there are no golf links anywhere for miles around. I wish some one would start some."

"But, dearest, how about those nice country walks we planned?"

"Nothing against 'em," answered John, "except that we've worn out the country."

"Worn it out?" queried Eleanor.

"Yep, that's what I said," John answered briskly. "We know all the roads 'round here. We know Farmer Giles' black cow and Farmer Hendrick's blue one. We know the pretty cottage with the jumble and honey-suckle at the head of the road. We know—Oh, everything that's knowable, including Mrs. Miller's blue-eyed kid that makes faces at us."

"Oh, I know, I know," said Eleanor miserably. John was getting tired of their dream, that was the trouble. That was why he brought all his work home. John was no longer.

"The closer starry skies, the wonder of the dawn, the sound of singing birds, the music in each rill of water—these were not for John. Eleanor would be glad, for John's sake, when his holiday came to an end.

Something seemed to be coming between them that autumn. The old, sweet confidence seemed gone. Sometimes Eleanor would detect her husband sitting in his chair, staring moodily at her. At such times her heart would beat faster, and she would wonder:

"Can there be any one else?"

One night she could hear it no longer. "John, won't you tell me what has come between us of late?" she begged. "Is there—is there some one else?"

John kissed her sadly. "No, darling, just business troubles," he answered. "Could she believe him? Eleanor looked at him doubtfully. After that the shadow that had fallen between them grew blacker and blacker.

"Dear, what'd you say to a little hunt to town this evening?" John asked, "just to keep in touch with things. We mustn't become back numbers, even if we do live in the country, must we?"

Eleanor agreed without enthusiasm. The spell of country life had taken hold of her. But for John's sake—

It was strange how at the theater again. They watched each other, each afraid of seeming too appreciative. They dined at a fashionable restaurant.

"It is nice in a way, isn't it, Eleanor?" said John. "But it doesn't come up to the glories of sunset and dawn, and the hum of the tree-tops, does it?"

"N-no," said Eleanor.

She was so absorbed in her thoughts that she did not realize where they were going until John helped her out of the taxi.

She stared about her. "Why, it's our old apartment-house!" she exclaimed. Without a word John led the way into their old apartment on the ground floor. Eleanor gasped. It was all furnished—ready for occupancy. She looked at her husband, and a sudden light came to her.

"Oh, darling?" she cried. "Did I guess right?"

"You did. But—"

"We'll have our things sent out this week, old trunk and all. I'll attend to it. You'll stay right here. This is where our real life begins."

## Double Play.

Twins having arrived, the father told little Peter that he needn't go to school that day.

Little Peter—But wouldn't it be just as good to tell teacher tomorrow I've got one new little brother, and next week stay home again and then tell her I've got one more?

## Richard Lloyd Jones tells

About The Light Maker



WE were groping our way across the street intersection which was hidden in the pitch blackness of a moonless midnight when we were startled by the rattle of the dead arc-lamp above us. Then we heard the creak of the pulley that held it and we knew that somewhere close to us in that dark stillness was a man feeding out the rope to lower the lamp to the street level. We waited and watched. Presently a flash lamp was laid on the ground and revealed the lane lamp and its doctor. By the dim reflection we saw him place a platform which he presently mounted and then went to work.

Walking toward him we announced our approach by the inquiry, "I suppose that step you are standing on is insulated?"

"Yes," he replied.

"With glass linings?" we observed, by way of making conversation to glean a morsel of electrical information.

"Stand back a little," he said, "the wind might sweep the lamp over to you, and you're on the ground."

"I suppose you're perfectly safe on your platform?" we asked next.

"Safe as long as I use but one hand at a time," he said. "By using two hands I can easily make a short circuit through my body."

"That would kill you of course?" we added knowingly.

"Maybe not," he replied.

"Isn't the instant shock that kills but the continued shock. The current shocks the blood cells. If enough of the blood cells become so clogged that the other cells cannot cure them, you die. But if most of your blood cells are left normal you will live. I short-circuited

current that was three times the voltage here. It was so great that instead of holding me it repelled me; it threw me to the ground. I was unconscious many hours. But as you see, I was not killed. The burning process did not last long enough."

"Does this street meet with Jennifer down there?" he said, pointing to an arc a block below. "I am not much acquainted about this district. I am a student. Good night," he said, and he was off to light up the dark highways of men.

We didn't learn much about electricity in that curb talk in the midnight hour, but we learned again the scholar's duty.

He is a wasteful student who does not use that which he knows for the benefit of other men. It is the scholar who serves, and who justifies the universities of the world. The man who finds in culture only a source of self-gratification, who is contented with the mere possession of culture, who is not impatient to use it, who is unwilling to take the risk of getting short-circuited in the currents of life that he might while he lives do his part to light up the dark avenues of the world, is not living true to the highest purposes of life. He serves a high service who goes about alone, cautious, but fearless, spreading light in this still dark and troubled world, and giving a without the applause of those who profit by it and who never see the good deed done.

Along the dark and silent pathway in that midnight hour that student was putting into practice the highest preachment in life. Willingness to do some good unseen, some good that frightens the pathway of others is the soldier's service open to all.

Each of us would spend a lamp or light a lamp, risk a little to do a little for the common good, this old world would last longer and seem much brighter.

poem  
by UNCLE JOHN

If it wasn't for expenses which is certain to accrue, I wouldn't mind the problems of existence like I do. . . . I alters favored incomes, an' I hate speak in their defense, but you can't produce an argument in favor of expense!

I gather in my wages, when the same is duly earned, and lay aside a stipend for the gas-line I've burnt,—I finger on a surplus to retain for salub' down, but she never lasts a minute, when I mosey off to town!

To juggle expenses is the climax of my will, when I go against a blow-out with a seven-dollar bill, but a double-header puts me whar the chicken got the axe, an' she sweeps away my surplus like a corporation tax!

I never knowed a failure that disbursements didn't cause; there's a world of tacked lightnin' in our economic laws—and I'll give the feller credit for a wagon-load of sense, that invents a safety in come, which is bigger than expense!

*Yr. very truly, John.*

## GLENWOOD &amp; TRINITY

A. H. Shortridge was transacting business here this week. He and his family have recently moved to their new home in Ashland. The community was very sorry to lose such good citizens.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Handley and Mrs. J. S. Hitt were visitors in Ashland Thursday.

Miss Willie Taylor of Morris Har

HOMEY PHILOSOPHY  
For 1922

CHRISTMAS is coming. Can't you see the twinkle in the eyes of those lubbies? Can't you hear the pit-a-pat of their anxious hearts when they awake in the morning to make a dash for that stocking? And the joy when they examine it, the thrill of the surprise when the delight of a wish fulfilled, the pure red blood sent coursing through the veins of the little mannikins that one of these days are going to help run the country. Think of the privilege of being able to create happiness of this kind, and to mould little men and little women into bigger and better beings. Christmas is the most glorious opportunity of all the year. Come to think of it, why wait why not make a little Christmas in the home every once in a while. Dates don't matter. Most likely the date of Christmas isn't correct anyhow.

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